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CONNELLVILLE, PA., MONDAY EVENING, MARCH 4, 1912.

"SAFETY FIRST" BRINGS RESULTS

Only Two Men Killed at Working Face for Frick Co. Last Year.

IS MOST DANGEROUS POINT

Officials Credit Interest Taken in Safeguard Men and First Aid Instruction With Reducing the Death List—How Lives are Being Saved.

"Safety first consideration" has brought results for the H. C. Frick Coke Company, although organized work for the protection of its employees is yet in infancy. Last year only two men were killed at the working face, by far the best record ever made by the largest of all coking operations. The working face is the most deadly of all the dangerous places about the mines and ovens. During the year just closed the State Mine Inspectors reported only two fatal accidents at this point in all the mines of the corporation.

The H. C. Frick Coke Company was one of the pioneers in the new practice of "safety first." The doctrine is growing and a higher value is being placed upon human life and limb by employers. In addition to three modern rescue stations, where the last word in first aid has been installed, every mine has its first aid team and weekly talks on safety. Superintendents say it is remarkable what interest the men take in this work, all eyes being turned to the first aid men in the mine.

"Do you think the first aid work has been responsible for the reduction in fatal accidents the State statistics will show for last year?" a Superintendent was asked.

"Frankly, I don't," he replied. "The work is in its infancy and has hardly reached that point of efficiency as yet. However, the next few years will be entirely different."

"I do know this," he continued, "first aid training has not only saved lives, but diminished the seriousness of many an injury and, even more, the natural abhorrence of the foreigner for blood and dead bodies."

"Take, for instance, the case of a man covered with slack coal from a fall of roof. In the past when he was brought out, if his head was not so much hurt, he was apparently not breathing, the men simply went for the stretcher and had him carried out. All that is changed. Now when they pull a man out of such a fall they try artificial means of restoring respiration. They work with him right to the mine and bring him around if possible. Many a man's life has been saved through prompt work of this nature."

"It used to be a common occurrence for a man to have a compound fracture as the result of an accident. This was largely because he was handled improperly before reaching the hospital. In being carried out of the mine it usually happened that the injury was aggravated, muscles were cut and broken bones splintered. Now, trained first aid men know how to take care of the man in such a way that he reaches the hospital little worse than when the accident occurred."

"The hospital authorities tell me they never saw patients in such splendid shape as those that have been sent from the mines of the H. C. Frick Coke Company. Many a miner has been saved an amputation because of the intelligent manner in which he has been given first aid treatment."

"Corporations realize, do they not, that aside from the humane care of the point, it is good business policy to protect their employees?" was asked.

"Undoubtedly! In the past all corporations—I make no exceptions—safeguarded their employees where they were required to work. They felt it was not their duty to take care of them. Now they are protecting men who go where they have no business. They are not only making safe those places the men are required to be, but protecting others where they will go even if they have no business there."

"About the best illustration of this is on the trestle of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, at Greensburg Junction. Safety platforms have been constructed. That trestle cost several lives because there were none in the past. Trespassing was forbidden and the bridges were not supposed to be used. Those platforms have been erected to protect the life of someone who has no business on there."

"Protection is being accorded where it is not absolutely required. It is a more humane view of the situation. The railroad, for instance, might not be liable for damages in event anyone was killed on that trestle. It was not regarded necessary to furnish protection to trespassers. However, the protection is given, and it already has saved many who might otherwise have been killed or maimed."

"By protecting men from risks they take, even when not required, corporations are merely extending their general policy. Not only must the working place be as safe as human ingenuity can make it, but other places are likewise protected."

The record of the H. C. Frick Coke Company for the past year shows that "safety first consideration" is paying big dividends to employees. It is enabling many of them to reach the ultimate pension roll who otherwise might have been ground beneath the industrial juggernaut.

Simple life in weddings. Simplicity in wedding is the unexpected sign of sanity among the English aristocracy.

MINERS STRIKE BECAUSE SAFETY LAMPS ARE ORDERED

They Walk Out and International Complications May Be the Consequence.

CHARLESTON, Pa., March 4.—International intervention may be necessary to settle trouble among the miners and operators, which started over the use of the safety lamp at the Chamonal mine of the Monongahela district. Consolidated Coal & Coke Company, opposite Charleston, last week.

Two hundred miners went on a strike and have asked miners of the Crescent and Vigilant mines and five Fayette City locals to call a sympathetic strike. The Fayette City locals held a meeting Saturday night and decided not to strike now, but to seek to have incorporated in the new wage scale the stipulation that certain electrical machines be not used where open lights are forbidden.

It is claimed that the origin of the whole affair is a factional fight between backers of President Francis Peshan and Michael Mahany, a candidate for district President.

Among the things the miners ask is that prosecution against certain miners for creating disturbances at Chamonal mine be dropped. The company refuses, it is said, to do this and has boarded up the Chamonal mine. If a sympathetic strike is declared about 3,000 miners will be affected.

Eight hundred coal miners, employed at the Jumbo mine of the Pittsburgh Coal Company, near McDonald, went out on strike Saturday. They left the mine without causing disorder. Recently the mine inspectors ordered that the miners would have to use locked safety lamps in place of the open lights.

The miners favored open lights and told the mine officials that as the mine was operated by electricity, which caused sparks to fly from the apparatus, there was no danger of a mine explosion from the sparks than there was from the use of open lights. According to the reports, the mine officials said the miners would have to comply with the orders of the inspectors and that they refused to do so.

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PENNSY FLYER IN THIRD BAD WRECK

Eighteen Hour Train Derailed Near Bucyrus Early This Morning.

NO ONE KILLED OR INJURED

Loading Engine Leaves the Rails and Other Follows. Draining Two Coaches After Them—Train Halting 25 Minutes Before Time.

United Press Telegram.

UPPER SANDUSKY, O., March 4.—While speeding westward at 65 miles per hour, the Pennsylvania Lines West of New York-Chicago 18-hour train was wrecked today at Glenville, a station between Bucyrus and Upper Sandusky. Through one of the inexplicable reasons that sometimes occur in railroad accidents, none of the crew or passengers were killed, the worst any suffered being bruises.

The wreck happened about four miles east of Novada, where four trainmen and two passengers were killed and ten others injured, when train No. 48, a solid express, and train No. 16, a solid Pullman, collided December 24, 1910.

The wreck today completed a series of three wrecks which trainmen believe to be inevitable after the first one has happened. Recently train No. 6 of the P. R. R. was wrecked in Indiana and train No. 2 was derailed in Pennsylvania, both with loss of life.

The 18-hour train was about 25 minutes late when it left Bucyrus today behind a double-header. The trucks of the first engine broke and jumped the track at Glenville. The engine of the second locomotive stuck to his post and threw on the brakes the minute he felt the jar. This lessened the speed of the train considerably before the second locomotive and two following coaches jumped the track. The steel constructed cars stood the jar firmly.

Nearly all the passengers were still in the berths when the accident occurred mainly by their heads coming in contact with the roof. Wrecking trains from Crestline and Fort Wayne were hurried to the scene and faced an all-day job in clearing away the debris and getting the tracks opened up.

SCOPE OF POSTAL SAVINGS BANK HAS BEEN EXTENDED

Deposits May Now Be Accepted From Others Than Patrons of the Office.

Word has been received at the post office that hereafter not only patrons of the office will be permitted to open deposits, but anyone else may do so.

Many requests have been made for deposits from outside people but up to the rule governing the postal savings funds, they could not be accommodated. One man wanted to deposit \$1,300 a short time after the local office opened but could not open a bank account. The new method of opening accounts is expected to result in an increase in the number of deposits at the office. The amount of each deposit is still restricted to \$100.

Following are some inquiries concerning the postal savings bank. Postmaster A. E. Kurtz this morning announced that the Board of Trustees will purchase any bonds at par on application of any holder without loss in principal.

LITTLE GIRL FROM MOYER DIES FROM PAINFUL BURNS

Clothes Ignited From an Open Grate and Fatal Injuries Are Inflicted.

Catherine Venecker, aged 4 years and 11 days, of Moyer, died last night at 11 o'clock at the Cottage State hospital from burns sustained yesterday afternoon shortly before 2 o'clock. During the absence of her mother the child's dress ignited from an open grate and she was burned all over. She was in a short time her body was enveloped in flames. Her screams attracted the attention of the mother, who hurriedly came to her assistance and succeeded in extinguishing the blaze. The child was brought to Connellville on the 2:30 street car and removed to the hospital.

She is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Venecker of Moyer. The body was removed to Funeral Director J. L. Studer's parlors and prepared for burial and was later removed to the family residence at Moyer. Funeral services will be held tomorrow.

Hennessey Holding His Own.

A meeting of the Chamber of Commerce Directors is being held this afternoon. The meeting is a special one at the call of the president. Plans for the rejuvenation of the Chamber will be discussed and possibly a definite plan of action decided upon.

Mayried in Cumberland.

Edward George Stussel and Augusta Loppie both of Connellville, were married in Cumberland Saturday.



Soow tonight or Tuesday, not much change in the temperature is the noon weather forecast.

Temperature Record.

1912 1911

Maximum 38 34

Minimum 27 34

Mean 32 34

1911 readings taken at 3 A. M. and 5 P. M.

With a slight snowfall beginning last night, the weather has become somewhat warmer than it has been for the past few days. The snow ceased falling early this morning. Saturday night was cold. After midnight the temperature went down 13 degrees.

The river has suddenly hit its lowest point. After reaching 3.10 last night it began to rise and overnight it rose until this morning it registered 3.35.

SUFFRAGETTES RESUME THEIR WINDOW SMASHING TACTICS

Thirty Female Agitators Arrested For "Ventilating" Store Windows.

LONDON, England, March 4.—Suffragettes today resumed their window-smashing campaign. Twenty of the principal shops in the Kensington and Knights Bridge districts were visited by the "ventilating" squad and the police and interfering shop assistants were attacked with broken glass and several thousands of dollars worth of property had been destroyed.

Thirty women were arrested. On the way to the prison they loudly proclaimed that they would continue their tactics as soon as they were free.

The police admitted today that they would be unable to prevent similar outbreaks unless all the moving spirits in the "Votes for Women" organization were arrested. It is impossible to detail sufficient officers to patrol the downtown stores. If the police were centered in the business district, the small stores in the up-town section would be at the mercy of the suffragettes, the police say.

One hundred suffragettes who were arraigned on Saturday charges of participating in the window-breaking are causing the authorities no end of trouble at the "Old Bailey." When they were refused permission to be quartered with Mrs. Pankhurst and the other suffragettes, who have already been sentenced, they smashed the jail windows and tore up the bed clothing at the same time slinging the mattresses at the accompaniment of a hideous din produced by banging their tin dishes against the sides of the cells.

JOHN SIMMONS ARRESTED AT SCOTSDALE FOR STEALING \$38

West Side Man Seeks to Fool Rottler But Officers Land Him.

When Constable Rottler went to arrest John Simmons at Scottdale on Saturday on a charge of larceny, Simmons tried to fool the officer into taking his brother in his place. When the constable, however, is slightly acquainted with Simmons and knew his man.

Simmons was arrested for stealing \$38 from a man while he lay drunk in a coal house belonging to John Broadbent. Both parties live on the West Side. The case is a complicated one. It seems that there are two John Broadbents and that one of them is alleged to have been drunk in the coal house of the other. Simmons was taken to Uniontown this morning by Constable Rottler.

Eggs and Butter Down.

With the approach of warmer weather, eggs and butter have taken a tumble in prices. From the high mark of 60 cents eggs have fallen to 38 cents and butter to 35 cents. Other staple products have also decreased in price.

Claim Attempt to Kill.

LAWRENCE, Mass., March 4.—What the strikers claim was an attempt to kill James P. Thompson, general organizer of the Industrial Workers of the World and one of the strike leaders, was made early today.

No Trace of King.

Although the fugitive has been working on the coast since early Saturday morning, no trace of the negro that assaulted Foster Critchfield at E. J. Enos' cigar store, has been found.

MABEL K. MARIETTA SUES FOR DIVORCE

Papers are Filed in Uniontown Today and Removed Immediately.

CRUEL TREATMENT IS ALLEGED

March Term of Court Opens This Morning With Both Judges on the Bench—Week of Civil Court Before the Criminal Cases are Taken Up.

Special to The Courier.

UNIONTOWN, March 4.—Suit for divorce was instituted this morning by Mabel K. Marietta against her husband, George R. Marietta, both of Connellville. Cruel treatment is charged. Specific charges are not stated, the papers having been immediately removed from the files by the attorneys for the defendant, George R. Marietta. He is the son of Rev. William Marietta, one of Connellville's leading citizens. The couple were married about six years ago.

The March term of court opened this morning with both judges on the bench. Dr. Arthur Kramer was appointed foreman of the Grand Jury. Judge Van Swearingen delivered the charge, which was devoid of special features.

The civil list was called, with 18 of the 35 cases ready for trial. 14 continued and three settled. Judge Umble's court took recess on this afternoon but before Judge Van Swearingen the suit of W. W. Laughhead against Mrs. Elizabeth S. Moore was taken up. Laughhead is suing to recover \$13,000 and interest, which he claims as commission for the sale of coal land. Laughhead asserts that he was agent for Mrs. Moore in disposing of 270 acres of coal.

PADDY BRITT RETURNS: WAS VISITING FRIENDS

Youngster Bobs Up Sincerely and is Unconcerned Over Flight He Gave Parents.

Paddy Britt, who so strangely disappeared from his home at Leisenring No. 1 a week ago today, has returned. Paddy was only paying a visit to a former Leisenring family, now residing at Vancos Mill.

Mr. and Mrs. Paddy Britt, who were visiting at Vancos Mill, promised to pay them a visit and he only kept his promise not thinking that his strange disappearance would cause such sorrow in the Britt family. Monday night he boarded a train for Uniontown but before he could spend the night with his friends, the next morning he was given money to return home.

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MRS. MARY ANN DETEMPLE IS VICTIM OF DIABETES

She Had Been Ill For Several Weeks and Ultimately Developed Coma.

Mrs. Mary Anne Detemple, wife of John Detemple Sr., died yesterday morning at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Joseph Weimer, in the Marietta apartments, North Pittsburg street. She had been suffering from diabetes for several weeks. A week ago last Saturday she was removed from her home on Gibson avenue to her daughter's apartments. Several days ago pneumonia developed and resulted in her death. Funeral from the Weimer residence Wednesday morning at 8:30 o'clock. Requiem high mass will be celebrated at 9 o'clock at the Immaculate Conception church. Interment in St. Joseph's cemetery.

Deceased was 54 years old and was born in York county. Her maiden name was Miss Mary Ann Messersmith. She was twice married. Her first husband was Thomas Gaus. Soon after their marriage they came to Connellville to reside. Mr. Gaus died about 11 years ago and five years ago Mrs. Gaus married John Detemple Sr. To the first union the following children survive: Rubin Gaus of Scotland; Mrs. George Keys of the West Side; Mrs. Jennie Polser of Mt. Pleasant; Emerson Gaus of Kalamazoo, Mich.; Mrs. B. C. Wadling, Mrs. Joseph Weimer, W. E. Gaus of Connellville, Rose and Leo Gaus at home. Mrs. Detemple was matron at the B. & O. station for nearly eight years. At the time of her second marriage she resigned.

Rev. Homer Nelson extended a call.

Is asked to accept pastorate of the First Baptist Church.

To succeed Rev. Palmquist.

Saginaw Minister Preached Here Two Sundays and Made Favorable Impression Upon the Congregation.

No Other Candidate Considered.

In place of Rev. E. A. E. Palmquist, who recently resigned to take up his duties as pastor of the Baptist church of Cambridge, Mass., the First Baptist church yesterday extended a unanimous call to Rev. Homer Nelson of Saginaw, Mich., to succeed him.

Rev. Nelson will accept the call, as he gave assurances before he left that he would come if called.

Rev. Nelson was the only candidate. An occurrence in connection with his candidacy is the fact that a number of the pastors of the Synod churches, when they learned that Rev. Nelson was to come to Connellville to preach, sent recommendations to the pulpits committee here.

Mr. Nelson is an eastern man. After graduation he served a pastorate in New Jersey, later going to Saginaw to take up the work at the church of which his father had been pastor until the time of his death. He spent five years there. He is married and has three children.

The pulpits committee consisted of Enos Penn, President; J. C. Munson, Secretary; George A. Munson, Ernest Martin and John Bailey. The committee was given a vote of thanks. Rev. Homer Eddy of Uniontown occupied the pulpit yesterday.

New yards for the great coke and coal tonnage out of the Connellville region are under way at Dickerson Run, on the Lake Erie, which will be the freight terminal of the Lake Erie end of the link. The road will open up the great coal and timber fields on the south bank of the Youghiogheny and Casselman, extending back into a section of Northern West Virginia that is not now accessible to a railroad.

In connection with the opening of the Western Maryland, the Lake Erie has its new connecting link from a point above Brownsville to Morgantown, W. Va., where connection is made with the new Buckhannon & Northern, which is about completed. This road will bring a great coal tonnage out of a now undeveloped section of West Virginia. To save a 50 mile haul in that part of this tonnage routed east, a connecting link is now nearing completion between the Monongahela river at a point near Fayette City and Jacobs Creek on the Youghiogheny river. Connection is there made with the Connellville division of the Lake Erie. Coal and timber destined for Baltimore, distributing points and way cities will be crossed over this short line, about 10 miles in length, where it will be taken by the Lake Erie and Western Maryland and sent East.

Through trains will be run from Chicago to Baltimore by the New York Central lines by way of Pittsburg, Connellville and Cumberland.

Church Trustees Meet.

The Board of Trustees of the United Presbyterian church will meet tomorrow evening in the office of J. A. Munson in the Second National Bank building.

Underwriters to Meet.

The monthly meeting of the Fayette County Board of Underwriters will be held Thursday afternoon in the Second National Bank building.

Wells-Mills Company About Through With Big Repair Job.

The Wells-Mills Electric Company will in a few days finish repairing a 100-horse power motor for the Connellville Consolidated Coke Company at Greer's Landing.

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OPENING OF NEW LINE IS DELAYED

Western Maryland Officials Decide Upon April 14 for First Trip.

BELIEVED ROAD WILL BE READY

March 18 Had Been Determined Upon But Delays Made Postponement Necessary—New Trunk Line to Seaboard Afforded Pittsburg and West.

The first train will run over the new Western Maryland railroad on April 14, according to an official announcement of General Manager Shepherd. President Robertson, with a party of officials and guests, expect to make the first trip through on the new road from Cumberland to Connellville on that date.

It was thought this trip could be made March 18, but unforeseen delays upset the arrangement. General Manager Shepherd believes that by fixing the date April 14, it has been made sufficiently far ahead to anticipate any obstacle that might arise from now.

The completion of the connecting line on April 14 will be the culmination of a dream dreamt long ago and later worked out along the most modern and practical lines, chiefly through the efforts of that master railroad man, E. F. Bush, who not long ago, left the Western Maryland to become the president of the Missouri-Pacific. At a banquet of the Pittsburg Traffic Club a year or so ago Mr. Bush told the people something of what was being done by the Western Maryland as it affected Pittsburg and the Pittsburg district and what they might expect when the plans then being worked out were realized. Within a very short time the people of this district are likely to see the actuality of President Bush's prophecy.

The opening up of the Cumberland extension will give Baltimore and Pittsburg a decided advantage over other competitive municipalities. The present passenger route from Baltimore to Pittsburg will be shortened more than 25 miles.

The line connecting the Western Maryland at Cumberland and the Lake Erie at Connellville is 84 miles long and extends along the south bank of the Potomac river, passing through the Blue Ridge Mountains about 12 miles from Cumberland. At

SOCIAL CALENDAR.

MONDAY.—The Woman's Culture Club is meeting at the home of Mrs. William Rogers on East Main street. A meeting of the official board of the Christian Church will be held in the church.

TUESDAY.—Miss Ruth Moore will entertain the Thursday Afternoon Card Club at her home on South Pittsburg street. A meeting of the primary school of the Christian Church will be held in the church. The monthly meeting of the Consistory of the Trinity Reformed Church will be held.

WEDNESDAY.—The Ladies' Auxiliary to the O. C. G. will meet in Odd Fellows' hall. Mrs. Lida Woods will entertain the G. I. A. Ladies' Sewing Work Club at her home on North Pittsburg street. A meeting of the primary school of the Christian Church will be held in the church. The monthly meeting of the Consistory of the Trinity Reformed Church will be held. The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist Episcopal church will meet with Mrs. Wilson Silliman.

THURSDAY.—Miss Mary Dick will entertain the Thursday Afternoon Card Club at her home on South Pittsburg street. The annual thank offering service of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Trinity Reformed Church will be held at the home of Mrs. C. B. Farthing on Cedar street. C. W. D. M. Auxiliary of the Christian church will meet in the church. The Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist Episcopal church will meet at 3:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. T. J. Riden at Dawson. Miss Kerr will entertain the Thursday Musical at her home on South Arth street. The regular meeting of the Ladies' Aid and Missionary Society of the United Presbyterian church will be held at the home of Mrs. J. A. McKesson on East Francis avenue.

FRIDAY.—The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist Episcopal church at Dawson will meet with Mrs. McGill. The hours are from 2 until 5 o'clock. The Christian Church of the Methodist Episcopal church will be entertained by Misses Jennie and Nellie Pent at their home on Eighth street, Greenwood. Miss Sarah Allen will entertain the King's Daughters of the First Presbyterian church at her home on West Main street. The regular monthly meeting of William F. Kurtz Post, No. 104, G. A. R., will be held in the Post room in the City Hall. The Junior League of the Methodist Episcopal church will meet in the church.

SATURDAY.—The Young Ladies' Guild of the Trinity Reformed church will hold a food and apron sale in Gentry's store on South Pittsburg street. The Ladies' Aid Society of the Trinity Lutheran church will hold an exchange in Gentry's drug store on South Pittsburg street from 5:30 A. M. until 2 P. M.

SAVED DAUGHTER'S LIFE

This Father Refused to Let His Daughter Die.

Here is a story with a moral that many parents might take to heart: "My daughter was very pale, nervous, thin, and suffered with severe pain in her back, so that we took her out of school. Her flesh became blue and she could not retain her urine. I spent over \$100 for medicines, but she grew worse. Finally I bought a bottle of Thompson's Barosma, and she began to grow better right away. Five bottles of Thompson's Barosma made a complete cure, and today she is perfectly healthy. Thompson's Barosma saved her life, for she was falling so fast that death was not far off."—Frank D. Meeder, Pleasantville, Pa.

If you are troubled with backache, headache, weakness in the back, and any liver or kidney trouble, then it's time for Thompson's Barosma.

Graham & Co. of Connellsville and S. A. Lowe & Co. of Scottsdale sell Thompson's Barosma in two sizes, 50 cents and \$1.00, and they guarantee it to cure Bright's disease, high colored urine, bed-wetting, and all other kidney and liver diseases. It will make anyone vigorous in a few weeks, because it is a great tonic and maker of rich red blood. All druggists.

DUNBAR ALUMNI

Will Meet Tomorrow in the M. L. Church There.

The monthly meeting of the Dunbar High School Alumni will be held tomorrow evening in the Methodist Episcopal church at Dunbar. A business meeting will be held at 8 o'clock and at 8:15 o'clock the following program will be rendered:

Selections by orchestra; selections by a quartet composed of William Greenwood, H. Williams, Mr. Cribbs and Mr. Church; recitation by the class, William Woodbury; selection by orchestra, piano solo, Misses Nomoni and Scott; "The Advantages of an Alumni," Hon. J. S. Carroll; selection, male quartet; selection by the orchestra, address by the President, L. J. McFarland.

All graduates, teachers and directors of the school are invited.

BETTER READ IT.

Look up the "Ad" of the First National Bank—It's Worth Your Attention.

In another column "The First National Bank of Connellsville" has an advertisement which should be read by every man and woman in Connellsville. It tells how the bank helps you with your bookkeeping when you have a checking account—how it practically audits your cash account every month or oftener if desired. The "Ad" is No. 5 of a series the bank is publishing on "Checking Accounts." Every "Ad" in the series is interesting and instructive. Next week the last "Ad" of the series will appear. It will tell about the general advantages of a Checking Account and will be worth reading. In this connection, always remember that your account will be welcome at The First National no matter how small.

If you have lost anything advertise for it in our classified column.

OFFICE FORCE BANQUETS RETURNING BRIDE AND GROOM

Course Dinner at the Royal Saturday For Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Scheidtmann.

In honor of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Scheidtmann, who were recently married in Brooklyn, the office force of the Mountain Park Land Company gathered at the Royal Hotel Saturday night at an eight course banquet. Those present were C. and Mrs. F. W. Scheidtmann, the honor guests, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Down, Kingswood, W. Van, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Matheus, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Wiley, Miss Alice O'Connor, Miss Crote Lang, Harold A. Dunn, H. P. Drake, P. P. Best and H. S. Thatchers. Mr. Down is held engineer at Chest Hill.

The affair was arranged by the members of the office force. The color scheme was red and white, the colors of Connell University, of which Mr. Scheidtmann is a graduate. Mr. and Mrs. Scheidtmann returned recently from a trip to Taunton and other points of interest in the Canal Zone. Mrs. Scheidtmann was formerly Miss Clara Espenchied and is well known in Connellsville. Mr. Scheidtmann is consulting engineer for J. E. Lloyd and is actively engaged in the Chest Hill dam project.

COCKERS WIN.

Connellsville Takes Exhibition Game From Fairmont Amateurs.

The Cokers played their last exhibition game of the season Saturday night, defeating Fairmont 2, M. C. A. 72 to 23. But 17 fouls were called throughout the contest. Twenty-nine field goals were made by the locals, Kummer being high man with 12. The game was played on the Y. M. C. A. floor, slightly larger than the Y. M. C. A. floor here. The lineup: Connellsville (72) Fairmont (23) Kummer forward Barrington Kummer forward Arnett Cunningham center John Polakoff guard Slater Substitution: Eggert for Boggs. Field goals—Kummer 12, Dark 2, Cavanaugh 3, Boggs 4, Doherty 5, Eggert 5, Barrington 2, Arnett, John 2, Hufschlager, Slater. Free-throw—Cabin and Rapp.

K. OF M. INSTALLATION.

Lodge Here Meets Saturday Night in Formal Session.

The following officers for the ensuing year were installed Saturday evening at the regular meeting of Ancient Illustrious Order Knights of Malta held in the old Magale building on South Pittsburg street: Sir Knight Commander, S. H. Hoop; Generalissimo, L. V. Marshall, Captain Second Guard, George C. Lang; G. M. Penn; Recorder, T. C. Edmonds; Assistant Recorder, T. F. B. Whitt; Senior Warden, N. Mitchell, Sentinel, J. H. Phillips; Warden, Albert Stillman; First Guard, L. D. Coleman; Second Guard, Jacob Dickman; Tustion, J. J. Mitchell.

The installing officer was W. H. Yaw. The meeting was well attended.

OFFICERS INSTALLED.

Perryopolis Lodge of Knights of Malta Meets Saturday.

D. T. Hilleman, District Grand Deputy of the Knights of Malta, was at Perryopolis Saturday evening installing officers of the Holy Grail Commandery, No. 391, for the ensuing year. A banquet followed the installation.

This evening accompanied by a delegation from the local Knights of Malta Mr. Hilleman will go to Dawson to install the officers of the Dawson lodge.

BOTH IMPROVE.

Mrs. J. B. Millard and Son Nearing Recovery in Pittsburg.

The condition of Mrs. J. B. Millard, who is a patient at St. Francis hospital, Pittsburg, is greatly improved. She was received Saturday by the family that the hopes for her recovery are very bright.

Joseph Millard, who is also in a Pittsburg hospital, expects to leave there today.

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D. J. Hoover Returns.

D. J. Hoover, who for the past several months has been located in Hamilton, Canada, has returned to Connellsville to reside. Mr. Hoover accompanied by Roy Tector left Hamilton in the Hoover automobile and when they arrived in Buffalo they found the snow so deep that the automobile trip was abandoned and the two were shipped to Connellsville. Mrs. Hoover will arrive here.

Jones Is Transferred.

R. L. Jones who has been in charge of the flat rate residential lighting plant of the West Penn will be transferred from his work here to the Pittsburg plant. He will leave Monday for Pittsburg. He will work at in Shurguburg and Leeburg through that territory. His successor here has not been appointed.

Stork Left a Girl.

The stork visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Mullen near Continental No. 2 Saturday morning and left an eight pound pretty dumpy baby girl. Mother and child are doing very nicely. Mr. and Mrs. Mullen are now the proud parents of two girls and a boy.

Automatic Toll-taker.

In England there has been invented a machine which is said to perform with mechanical precision the action of a hand toll-taker.

SOCIETY.

Birthday Party.

In honor of their birthday anniversary Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Peters were tendered a delightful surprise party Saturday evening at their home on Main street, West Side. The surprise gathering was arranged by a number of their friends and a pleasant evening was spent at various amusements. Luncheon was served at a late hour. The out of town guests included Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Handlin of Mt. Braddock; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thomas and son, Charles, Mr. and Mrs. L. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. John Woods, S. W. Means of Percy; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Conn and daughter, Ruth, of Uniontown.

Will Entertain Children.

The regular meeting of the Christian Women's Board of Missions of the Christian church will be held Thursday afternoon in the church. Mrs. J. L. Kutz is leader and Miss George Stauffer, hostess. Following the annual custom the Auxiliary will entertain the Children's Mission Band at a Mission Band Meeting.

The Children's Mission Band of the Trinity Lutheran church met Saturday afternoon in the church. Business of a routine nature was transacted.

Miss Anna Mary Marshall, head of a number of her friends, entertained Saturday afternoon at her home on Johnston avenue. Luncheon followed the game.

Announcement Announced.

An announcement has been made of the engagement of Miss Clara E. Purpore of New Castle and Claude D. Bagnall of Connellsville. The wedding will be an event of the early spring.

A meeting of the Equitable Life Insurance Association is being held today in Pittsburg with many representatives of the company present. Miss Ella Skiff, the Connellsville representative, is among the speakers.

Woman's Missionary Meeting. The regular meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society of the United Brethren church will be held Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. David Laughry on East Francis avenue. The regular station of officers will take place. A large attendance is desired.

Surprise For Guest.

Fifteen friends of Miss Nellie De Nold of Pittsburg, who is visiting Mrs. Michael Barano of Fairview avenue, surprised her Saturday. The hours were from 8 until 12. The evening was spent in music and games. A light luncheon was served.

TELEPHONE COMPLAINTS

Railroad Commission Is Urged to Investigate.

HARRISBURG, Pa., March 4.—The State Railroad Commission on Saturday received a protest from the Retail Merchants and Business Men's District Association against the Central District A. D. Printing Telegraph Company of Southwestern Pennsylvania. The association commends the efforts of the Jeannette Business Men's Association and people of Greencastle to bring about a correction of alleged abuses in the telephone services.

The Railroad Commission is urged to investigate the receipts of the telephone company which the association alleges are to a large extent unlawful and unjust and that the corporation is being used to exploit the people. The association demands that the telephone may in the near future come within the financial reach of all its people.

NEW ILLARSE

Delivered to Funeral Director Mitchell, Who Also Orders Auto.

Funeral Director C. C. Mitchell received from Pittsburg today one of the new ILLARSE automobiles. The new ILLARSE is a new model of the Gipsy and is a very fine car. The body is finished in silver gray. On the side is a gold plate on which is inscribed "ILLARSE".

Mr. Mitchell has also placed an order with the Connellsville Garage for a new ILLARSE. It is the first of the kind in Connellsville.

Tinct and Herb Remedies. stand the test of time because they possess merit and though many years have passed since our American grandmothers commenced to make their own tinctures and herb remedies, the fact remains that they are still the best remedies for many ailments.

Many of these old remedies which were passed down from generation to generation are still of value. Such as Lydia's Pink Pills for Women's Health, Compound, the most successful remedy for women's ills the world has ever known, and tincture of roots and herbs are used annually in making it.

Goes to Forestry Convention.

Kenneth Reid, son of T. M. Reid of Peach street, will leave this afternoon or tomorrow morning for Harrisburg where he will attend the State forestry convention being held there. From there he will go to Lawrenceville, N. J., where he will visit his brother, Donald at the Lawrenceville school.

Medicos Meet Tomorrow.

The regular meeting of the Fayette County Medical Society will be held tomorrow evening in the Chamber of Commerce rooms in the First National bank building. Dr. G. W. Hays of the Mercy hospital, Pittsburg, will be present and will speak on "Fractures at the Elbow."

To Elect Officers.

The annual election of officers will take place at the regular meeting of the Connellsville High School Alumni to be held tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock. A large attendance is desired.

Infant Is Dead.

Mary Estelle Helms, infant daughter of Arthur and Edna Helms, died this morning at the family residence on Fayette street. Interment this afternoon in Chestnut Hill Cemetery.

VIEWS OF PRINTERS' HOME AT THE SOISSON THURSDAY

Connellsville Union Will Show What Its Organization Is Doing.

The Connellsville local of the International Typographical Union will display views of its Union Printers' Home at Colorado Springs at the Soisson theatre Thursday. The types are proud of the place where members, broken in health, may spend their declining years in the neighborhood of the million dollars in the maintenance of the home and its physical value is close to \$2,000,000.

In addition to supplying a home, food and clothing for the residents, an allowance of 66 cents weekly for incidentals is given. This tuberculosis sanatorium has enabled many an unfortunate member to regain his health and resume work.

In addition to maintaining the home, the printers' union has a pension fund and boasts that its members do not become public charges. The union will display the regular moving picture program at the Soisson Thursday, after noon and evening. It will be of particular interest not only to the printers and their friends, but to all who are interested in organized labor.

FOUR NEW ELECTRIC SIGNS.

SOLD IN CONNELLSVILLE.

F. W. Evans of Federal Sign System Sell Three and Chicago One.

Another. The Connellsville Electric show has added stimulus to the electric sign business in Connellsville. Four new electric signs have been contracted for, all to be delivered this month.

F. W. Evans with the Federal Sign System (Electric) at the electric show has closed deals for three signs within the past few days. In addition to the one which was sold to Mrs. J. R. Poltz, the East Main street mini-mall, he has also placed two signs on the Globe theatre on North Pittsburg street and the Bazaar clothing store on the same street. All three signs will be of the Federal company's style that of the blue enamel with the steel background. They will be similar to Thomas street signs. The Globe theatre, the North Pittsburg street drugist, has closed a contract with the Chicago Electric Sign Company for a sign to be delivered the middle of this month. The sign will be 7 1/2 feet long and is called an art sign. It will be placed on the Evans of the Federal company has several other buyers in prospect.

HOUSE OF COMMONS TOLD OF MINIMUM WAGE SCALE

Premier Asquith Outlines Government View of Big Strike Situation.

United Press Telegram. LONDON, Eng., March 4.—Premier Asquith this afternoon informed the House of Commons that the government was unanimously in favor of a minimum wage scale being provided for the coal miners. He believed, however, that it would be better for the operators and miners to agree on a scale than for one to be established by legislation.

The government's attitude was brought out by Bonar Law, the Tory leader. He said that he was still hopeful that the striking interests would be able to agree, but denied emphatically that he had ever said that the establishment of a minimum wage for the miners would be the first step toward applying the principle to all industries.

STEEL PRICES.

Independents Inclined to Follow Corporation's Lead.

The United States Steel Corporation has taken a stronger stand in the matter of steel prices, and the independent companies seem inclined to adopt the same policy. U. S. Steel is holding plates and structural shapes at \$1.10 per 100 pounds, Pittsburg, and the rest of the independent companies to ask better prices than have prevailed, says the Wall Street Journal.

However, there are few manufacturers who look for a pronounced advance in the price of steel products before the Presidential election.

A Fact to Remember. This bank makes a specialty of collecting savings accounts. This is a fact that every person who has a regular income should remember.

The location of the bank, moreover, makes it easily accessible from all parts of the city and its doors are open on Saturday nights from seven to nine o'clock, thus making it convenient for persons who are not able to visit the bank during regular hours. The Citizens National Bank, 135 Pittsburg street, Connellsville.

Leaves For New York.

Contractor J. B. Foley who has been confined to his home in Greenwood with a treacherous leg, accompanied by Mrs. Foley and baby left Saturday for New York, their former home. They will not return to Connellsville. Mr. Foley is connected with the Robert Hill Construction Company, which has been located in Connellsville for nearly two years.

Medicos Meeting. The regular monthly meeting of the Young Medical Social Club scheduled to meet Thursday evening of this week at the home of Dr. J. J. White on West Peach street, has been postponed until Thursday, March 14.

Finance Committee Meets.

At a meeting of the Finance Committee today it was said that nothing besides the payment of bills will be taken up. It was thought that the tax levy would be decided upon.

Gas in the Home.

An attachment for a gas jet that will cook almost anything and of this kind the home of Dr. J. J. White has a gas range which it has been invented by an Englishman.

Stationary Soldering Iron.

A new electric soldering iron is stationary, it does not require being held against it.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. C. P. Angell and daughter, Miss Rebekah, are visiting in Pittsburg today.

Mrs. J. M. Scott, Jr., of Pittsburg, is the guest of Mrs. J. M. Scott of North Pittsburg street.

Miss Florence Harvey, a student at St. Joseph's seminary at Seaton Hill, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Harry.

Miss Clara Adams has returned home from a visit with friends in Uniontown.

James McCarthy of Greencastle, was a Connellsville visitor yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. "Anthony" McNulty and family will remove their place of residence from Trotter into the John Duggan property on Eighth street, Greencastle. The property was one of those bought by Mr. Duggan from the Western Maryland railroad company.

Why pay rent when you can join the Royal Building & Loan Association and buy or build your own home? The Royal Building & Loan Association, Bank Building for full information.

Charles H. Reynolds of Warren, is visiting at the home of Robert Morris on South Pittsburg street. Mr. Reynolds has just completed a tour of the world. He started from this country going east. He passed through Mediterranean sea, the Red sea around India through China and Japan. He started last October and has just finished his trip.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Herbert Knox and daughter, Katharine, of Pittsburg, were visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Markell over Sunday.

Charles Moreland of McDonald, was visiting friends in town over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Donald Porter went to Pittsburg yesterday to spend a few days.

Madam May at Smith House, famous psychic, consult her, become successful. Same price until 9 P. M.

Mrs. T. G. Kincaide and Miss Mary Davis returned home Saturday afternoon from a visit with friends in Pittsburg.

Mrs. S. P. Hildebrand of Eighth street, Greencastle, returned home Saturday afternoon from Cockeaton, Pa., where she was called by the death of her uncle, H. W. McGowan.

Arthur Wallace of Pittsburg spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Katharine Watt of Sycamore street.

Miss Martha Alcorn of Pittsburg was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Boucher of East Washington avenue over Sunday.

Miss Milton Deal and son George Junius and Mr. and Mrs. James H. Smith of Snook were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Smith.

Miss Lillian Edmunds returned home Saturday from a visit with friends at Mt. Pleasant.

Miss Judith La Ray has accepted a position with the Belle Telephone Company. She succeeds Miss Jean Lockhart.

Mrs. Catherine Kirk and daughter, Clara, of Roscoe, were guests yesterday at the home of J. B. Millard on Trevor street.

Miss Irene Holland was called to Pittsburg Saturday by the illness of her brother, F. P. Holland.

Benson Orr of Mayville, Ky., arrived here Saturday for a visit with his aunt, Mrs. Lucy Lowry of West Cedar avenue.

Mrs. Harriet A. Hagie of Fairfield, Ind., and Mrs. Emily C. Stewart of "Pittsburg," are the guests of Mrs. Joseph Ford at "Mt. View Farm," Dunbar township.

Miss Margaret Barthen of Mt. Vernon avenue, Uniontown, is visiting her sisters, Mrs. J. B. Murphy and Mrs. John Wilder. She will leave tomorrow for the Mercy hospital, Pittsburg, to study to become a trained nurse.

A. T. Earthen spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. Barthen of Uniontown.

David B. Wagoner is the guest of his sister, Mrs. John Cook of Dippencamp.

James Campbell, an employee of the Singer Sewing Machine Company, spent Sunday at his home in West Newton.

Ernest Blaney of Star Junction, and Clarence Lingo and Miss Lingo spent Saturday with Mrs. I. M. Hodge of South Connellsville.

Andrew Woodfield of the West Side, is serving on the jury in Uniontown this week.

Patrons those who advertise. T. Scott Dunn of Greencastle, heard Captain Richard Hobson lecture in Uniontown yesterday.

Mrs. Florence McDonald and daughter, Margaret, spent yesterday with relatives in Uniontown.

Misses Annie and Catherine Bonkey of Dunbar, were guests of Mrs. Anna Rubenborg of Brookville yesterday.

A. W. Comiskey visited friends in Greencastle yesterday.

Miss Mary Marietta and Mrs. Theodore Marietta of Ohio, are in town today.

Miss Mae Winkley of Harrisburg, Pa., the guest of the Misses Sauter, went to Pittsburg this morning to visit friends for a few days.

Rev. C. P. Allison is in Pittsburg, today attending a missionary meeting of the Christian churches of Western Pennsylvania.

J. J. Dougherty has returned from business trip to New York and Philadelphia.

Mailein Rottler is serving on the jury in Uniontown this week.

Mrs. Mary Moway of Pittsburg, was the guest of Miss B. Comiskey of Brookville yesterday.

To Cure a Cold in One Day. Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25c

Stable Now Complete. J. L. Stader's new heavy stable is complete with the exception of installing the elevator. The stable is similar to the one destroyed by fire and will accommodate 60 head of horses. It is a three story brick building with a large basement. Mr. Stader is very grateful to his friends who offered assistance while the new stable was being built.

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News From Nearby Towns.

Smithfield.

SMITHFIELD, March 2.—J. M. D. Lowe on returning from revival services at the Baptist church Thursday night fell on the icy pavement in front of the I. O. O. F. hall and was severely injured. The back of his head struck the pavement with such force as to render him unconscious for a time. He was assisted to his home near the B. & O. station and was resting easily the next morning.

Dr. James Brownfield of Fairmont, is the guest of his sister, Miss Mary Brownfield.

Mrs. John McDonald of Smithton, is the guest of her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Feather.

Mrs. Frank Lewis, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Rankin and other relatives here, returned to her home at Fairbank on Friday.

G. W. Campbell has his personal property at his place on High House street advertised for sale Thursday, the 14th inst.

Dr. James Brownfield who had been attending the golden wedding of his comrade in the civil war, Charles Smith at Uniontown and stopped off here Friday morning to call on relatives, returned to his home at Fairmont, W. Va., Friday evening.

Mrs. W. J. Ruble of Ruble, was in the borough Wednesday evening.

Henry Haldeman of Belington, W. Va., is visiting relatives in the borough.

Mrs. Howard Baer, who has been in the Passavant hospital at Pittsburgh, for two weeks, where she had an operation performed. She stood the ordeal well and is in a fair way to recover. He is the word received by her husband here Thursday evening.

Dr. A. C. Abraham of Brownsville, called on his mother, Mrs. J. W. Abraham, who is sick, Thursday.

The residence of D. S. Smith at Fairchance was destroyed by fire on Wednesday evening.

The atmosphere turned much colder Thursday evening and snow commenced falling at 8 o'clock. The prospects are that March will come in like a lion.

Despite the adverse weather conditions Contractor W. H. Phillips is making good progress with Mrs. D. S. Goodwin's house on High House street. He has it enclosed and ready for the inside finish.

J. D. Moore, one of our oldest Civil War veterans, is confined to his home with a complication of ailments.

Dunbar.

DUNBAR, Mar. 4.—A most pleasant surprise party was given on Friday to Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cartwright in honor of Mr. Cartwright's first birthday. The affair was most suitably arranged, the guests began to arrive with well filled baskets. Mr. Cartwright was completely taken by surprise and not only gifts brought by the guests, a postal card shower was also given him in which he received 15 cards. At 12 o'clock a hostess. After which the guests spent the afternoon in chatting, after which they left for their homes, wishing Mr. Cartwright many more such happy birthdays. Among the out of town guests were: Mrs. B. Knight of Vanderbilt, Mrs. Robert Fisher of Connelville, Mrs. Anna Currier of Greensburg, Mrs. Mary Smith of Juntura.

Chandler Bryson, who is employed on the engineer corps of the West Penn Railways at Charleroi, spent Sunday here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bryson.

At the services at the Methodist Protestant church Rev. Ivan Wilson, pastor of the First Methodist Protestant church of Uniontown, was here on Sunday evening and conducted the services. The church was well filled.

John Strickler of Connelville was here Sunday visiting friends.

Dr. and Mrs. J. P. Scott of Uniontown were here the guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Scott on Railroad street.

The condition of Mrs. Mary Postle, who has been ill at her home at the furnace, is now seriously and her recovery is doubtful.

Miss Elma Grochewicz was the guest of friends in Connelville.

George Wilhelm of Connelville was here Sunday visiting friends.

Patronize those who advertise.

Casselman.

CASSELMAN, March 1.—Mrs. Lovi May and daughter-in-law, Mrs. James May of Markleton, were visiting Casselman friends on Sunday.

Mrs. Harry Rindler of Steyertown, is visiting her father, John Dewore of Water street for a few days.

James Williamson has moved his family from Steyertown into the Jacob Wilkerson property on St. John street.

Mrs. Milton Kuerst of Steyertown, is visiting her father, John Dewore of Water street for a few days.

Mrs. George Tipton of Connelville, is in town visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Liphart of Main street.

Harry Welner and Charles May were Rockwood callers on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Robertson and daughter, Alberta, have returned home from Baltimore, Md.

Miss Lillian Shanks has left for Scottsdale, where she is attending school.

Miss Etta Kapp was a Meyersdale caller on Wednesday.

Miss Viola Mickey and brother, Roy, were in town on Sunday.

Miss Eva Scholer, the Klagswood school teacher, passed through town on her way home.

Taft Campaign in Chicago.

Chicago, Mar. 4.—Hon. L. Stinson, Secretary of War, will be the principal speaker at a mass meeting at Orchestra Hall tomorrow night, which is to mark the opening of the Chicago campaign for the renomination of President Taft. Four days later the campaign will be given a further impetus by the visit of President Taft himself to speak at the annual meeting of the Illinois Swindler-American Republican League.

Confluence.

CONFLUENCE, Mar. 4.—The young ladies of Confluence gave a very successful leap year dance in Coughenour's hall Friday night. Twenty-five couples were present. The hall was tastefully decorated in crepe paper and hearts. The dancing committee was composed of Misses Helen Fick, Blanch Kirtz, Alma Mitchell, and Florence Swan. The Confluence orchestra furnished the music and responded liberally to the encores. At 10:30 refreshments were served by the girls, wearing dainty white caps and aprons. The out of town guests present were Misses Mary Rush, Leora Young of Rockwood, Misses Lucy Liston, Grace Mitchell of Dumas, Messrs. Fred Dickerson, Pittsburgh, George Hocking, and S. J. Allen, Meyersdale; John Willard and Harry Minnema, Dumas. In the waning hours of the morning they returned to their respective homes, the boys voting the girls as excellent entertainers.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Burnett are visiting friends in Rockwood and Acosta, Pa., for several weeks.

Water Scott is visiting his grandmother, Mrs. Goff at Meyersdale, for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry VanSickle and two children of Somerset were in town on their way to Uniontown where they will visit the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold for a few days.

Scott Anderson, employed by the Western Maryland at Connelville spent Sunday with his family in town.

Rev. C. E. Boyer, Lutheran minister of town Rev. L. P. Young of Rockwood, Rev. W. H. Chancy of Garrett, Md., arrived yesterday for New York City from which place they will leave for a six month tour of the Holy Land. They expect to spend some time in Egypt after which they will visit Palestine.

The funeral of Margaret, the two years old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hyatt of Ohio, was held in the Fairview church Friday. Interment in Fairview cemetery.

J. C. Kendall, of Manorland, Md., was in town on business last week.

L. W. Debolt was tendered a postal card shower Friday in honor of his 63rd birthday anniversary. Mr. Debolt received 56 beautiful cards.

Miss Carrie Watson, clerk in A. G. Black's dry goods store, was off duty the latter part of last week on account of illness.

Mrs. Russ Augustus of Addison has been spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Albert Black on West Side.

Mrs. Ed. Bender and two children, Elsie and Park, went to Markleysburg Saturday where they will spend a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas.

John Fisher was called to Markleysburg by the serious illness of his sister, Mrs. John Jenkins.

Wm. Clouse of McKeesport spent Saturday and Sunday with friends in town.

Mr. and Mrs. James Thomas and two children of Thomadale were in town Saturday on their way to McKeesport to visit relatives and friends.

Among the business callers in town Saturday were Jacob Kelm of Addison, John Zimmerman and Samuel Alcott of Union, John Buynowich, George Butler, C. N. Flankman of Johnson's Chapel, Andy Coughenour, Robert E. Collier of Dumas.

Misses Mary Ruth and Leora Young attended the leap year dance in Coughenour's hall Friday evening.

Mr. H. Shaffer of Connelville was in town on business Saturday.

Meyersdale.

MEYERSDALE, Mar. 4.—Miss Clara Zuffall, who recently underwent a serious operation in Allegheny hospital at Cumberland, in company with her sister, Miss Nell Zuffall, and Dr. Bruce Lichty, returned home yesterday on train No. 1.

Dr. and Mrs. E. C. Saylor of Salisbury were calling on friends and acquaintances here yesterday.

Mrs. Geo. Steln, wife of the well known local B. & O. engineer, who for nearly two months was confined in St. Joseph's hospital at Baltimore, Md., and who was operated upon for stomach and intestinal trouble by Dr. A. C. Harrison, chief surgeon of the B. & O. railroad, arrived home in excellent condition and spirits yesterday. The operation, which was a serious one, was widely commented upon by the press. Four feet of intestine and a portion of the patient's stomach was removed.

Joseph Krieglmeier, a B. & O. engineer with headquarters at Hyndman, was in town yesterday and today visiting his sister, Mrs. John Duan of High street.

G. L. Hammond, proprietor of the Hotel Silver, returned home from Cumberland yesterday afternoon, the latter having spent several weeks with relatives and friends in that city.

James Smith of Berwindale, Pa., who formerly operated a steam shovel for the Carter Construction Company, is here to spend several days with friends.

H. M. Poorbaugh of Glenoe was in town Saturday transacting business and calling upon friends.

A. E. Shumaker returned yesterday from a week's stay in Somerset where he served on the jury.

The evangelistic campaign to cover a period of about two weeks, was inaugurated in the Church of the Brethren Saturday evening. The meetings were opened by the local pastor, Dr. K. Clapper on account of the inability of the evangelist, Rev. H. S. Reppel, to arrive here at the appointed time. He will, however, arrive in time to take charge of the services this evening.

Perryopolis.

PERRYOPOLIS, March 2.—H. O. Markle has returned from a several days' trip to Philadelphia.

The Samuel Strickler farm was sold yesterday to A. C. Strickler.

Miss Elizabeth Kargle has gone to Onkdale, Pa., for a several days' visit with friends.

Miss Laura Myers is visiting her brother, Clyde, at McConellsburg in Fulton county.

It is rumored that our town may have a nickelodeon in the near future.

Classified ads one cent a word.

Pekin Gates Seized by Foreign Nations to Protect Legations From Looting by Mutinous Chinese Troops



Dickerson Run.

DICKERSON RUN, March 2.—William Durbin has returned home after a few days' visit with friends at Beaver Falls.

Mrs. John Anderson was calling on Dawson friends yesterday.

Engineer Wallace Beeson received the honor of being the one to haul the first Western Maryland train over the west end of the Western Maryland railroad running out of Dickerson Run.

William Strickler, a well known farmer of near Vanderbilt, was transacting business here yesterday afternoon.

Rev. A. A. Stevens of near Connelville, preached in the Church of God Friday evening.

Thomas Boyd of Perryopolis, is spending a few days here visiting relatives and friends.

Lloyd Stauffer of Dawson, was a business caller here last evening.

Lyman S. Pope of Uniontown, was visiting relatives and friends here yesterday.

C. S. Harper was transacting business at Vanderbilt yesterday.

LICKETSON RUN, March 4.—Miss Georgia McBurney and Miss Lizzie Colbert were shopping and calling on Connelville friends Saturday.

Mrs. James Beatty and daughter, Miss Marie were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lint at Dawson Saturday afternoon.

Mr. J. C. Jacobs and daughter, Miss Grace, were shopping and calling on friends at Connelville Saturday.

Mrs. Edward Budd has returned home after a few days' visit with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Snyder were shopping in Connelville Saturday.

Miss Lucy Randolph was calling on Vanderbilt friends last evening.

Henry Lunken is a Connelville business caller Saturday.

Joseph Oglewe was a Dawson business caller Saturday evening.

Mrs. J. B. Crouse was calling on Connelville friends Saturday afternoon.

Miss Lulu Oglewe was calling on Vanderbilt friends last evening.

Mrs. Lizzie Myers and son Clayton were visiting friends at Connelville Saturday.

A 10 cent lunch will be given by the ladies of Worthington Camp No. 3913 at the Junior Order hall in Dawson on Thursday evening, March 7th.

Miss Lillian Newton was calling on friends at Connelville Saturday evening.

Miss Grace Wilhelm was the guest of Mrs. Romy Johns at Leisenring on Sunday.

William Randolph is numbered among the sick at present.

Miss Luella Fulmer was calling on Vanderbilt friends last evening.

Star Junction.

STAR JUNCTION, March 2.—C. W. Downs of Connelville, was a business caller in town yesterday.

A. G. Curson attended a reception given in Perry High School Thursday night. This reception was given by the members of the senior class.

John F. Armstrong of Perryopolis, was a caller in town yesterday.

George Moore of Vanderbilt, was calling on friends in town last evening.

STAR JUNCTION, March 4.—Misses Irene Lytle and Elizabeth Mae Brown of Connelville, Reba Murphy of Franklin and Maile Moore of Vanderbilt, spent the week end at the home of Miss Jeannette Short.

Out of town visitors at the Institute Saturday were as follows: Misses Alta and Katherine Fretts of Perryopolis, Mary Duff, Mrs. Allen Galey, Prof. T. S. Bracken, Perryopolis, County Superintendent C. G. Lowllyn, Uniontown; Misses Margaret and Ellen Blair, Perryopolis; Nellie Mae Bralier, Margaret Carson, Layton; Elizabeth Mae Brown, Connelville, Carrie and



AN AFTERNOON GOWN.

This is one of the black and white combinations so well liked this season. The foundation is white silk, veiled with black, and the lower part of the skirt is tucked and the chiffon folds are set between the two.

Over the black is arranged an overblouse of white chiffon with a tucked and black fold over each shoulder. The lace flouncing is cream white and the front panels are set on with a gold and buttons of black satin. The giraffe is of black satin with a fold of corse velvet at the top.

Margaret Thomas, Edward Ramster, Harry Ramster, Misses Irene Galey, Ruth Luce, Blanche Stuckelager, Perryopolis, Reba Murphy, Franklin, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Piersol, Plattswoods, Clara Hamilton, Layton, Misses Mary and Elizabeth Hess of near Plattswoods. The institute was a grand success. Everything was carried on with the best of order. Lunch was served.

Prof. D. C. Murphy of Slippery Rock Normal school, lectured in the M. E. church last night. All were well pleased with his talk on "The Better Italy."

Harry Bittner of Connelville, was visiting at his home Saturday.

O. S. Blair and J. C. Eicher of this place attended a mass meeting at Perryopolis last night.

Miss Stitt of Gillespie, was visiting at the home of her sister at this place yesterday.

Robert Moore of Vanderbilt, was a caller in town yesterday.

Clarence Brown of Dawson, was visiting in town yesterday.

Arthur Evans is visiting with his parents at Connelville.

William Elwell of Layton, spent Sunday with his parents at this place.

Benjamin Byers of Plattswoods, was coming in town Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Moss of Perryopolis, were calling in town on Saturday.

Ohio.

OHIO, Mar. 4.—The teachers' institute held at Ohioville Saturday afternoon and evening was largely attended at both periods, with a very interesting program. Afternoon session, 2:30 to 4:30 devotional exercises, Rev. G. W. Ringer, song by Institute, "America," address of welcome, Earl Harbaugh; response Francis Morison, general address, Prof. R. V. Ridenour, solo Miss Ellen Jackson, "The Child, the First Consideration," Prof. R. K. Smith, address, Ernest A. Coffin, 7:30—song by Institute, "Harvest Time is Here," "The Teacher's Opportunity," Ernest A. Coffin, A. M. quartet, Miss Ellen Leonard, Miss Ellen Jackson, Dalton Potter and Prof. R. V. Ridenour, closing address, Frank Cunningham. The M. E. church served the occasion and all felt much pleased with the success of the institute.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Johnson and children of Uniontown spent Saturday evening and Sunday on a visit with Ohioville relatives.

Mr. Shroyer, who has for the past few days been on a visit with Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Raftery and family of Garrett street, returned to his home at Hyndman Sunday evening.

Mrs. Violet Mendenhall left Sunday for Uniontown to visit friends and relatives.

Miss Gertrude Stull returned to her home at Whig Corner Sunday evening after a short stay in Ohioville.

Miss Odella Shipley of Victoria was shopping and visiting with Ohioville friends Saturday.

Miss Flora Rowan of Connelville is making a short visit with Ohioville relatives.

Mrs. Clara Dull of Connelville is spending a few days on a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jackson Myers of Sugar Loaf.

Revival meetings to be continued all this week in the M. E. church by the pastor, Rev. Ringer.

Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Buidette and son, James, and Miss Violet Spis spent Saturday and Sunday on a visit with Confluence friends.

Vanderbilt.

VANDEBILT, March 4.—Misses Florence and Helen Durbin of Dickerson Run were calling on friends here Saturday evening.

Miss Paul has returned home from a very pleasant visit with relatives and friends at Rogers Mills and other points up along the Indian Creek Valley.

Miss Mary Nevada McLaughlin was calling on Dawson friends yesterday evening.

Mrs. Z. T. Leighty and daughter Mary, attended the meeting a few evenings ago which is being conducted at the Presbyterian church by Rev. Ryland of Leisenring.

Rev. William D. Marshall, pastor of the Presbyterian church at this place, occupied the pulpit of the Presbyterian church at Leisenring Sunday morning.

James Caveleant of Edenborn is spending a few days visiting his parents at this place.

W. E. Gray of East Liberty was a business caller here Saturday evening.

J. E. Edwards was transacting business at Dickerson Run Saturday afternoon.

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Dawson.

DAWSON, Mar. 4.—Miss Elizabeth Williams is spending a few days with relatives at Scottsdale.

The sixth of the series of dances given by Porter, Moore, Wood and Henry will be held Tuesday evening, March 6, at the Cochran Banquet hall. A large crowd is expected with a number of out of town guests.

H. C. Rush was a Vanderbilt caller Saturday.

Mrs. Wm. Consell was a Connelville shopper yesterday.

Mrs. J. S. Laughner was a Connelville caller Tuesday evening.

Miss Nevada Colbert of Dickerson Run was a caller here Saturday.

Mrs. H. C. Rush was a Connelville caller Saturday afternoon.

Fred and Camilla Baker of Vanderbilt were callers here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Reagan of Monessen are visiting at the home of the latter's mother, Mrs. H. R. Ober.

Mrs. Howard Lohm was shopping in Connelville Friday.

John Price and W. H. Rush were in Scottsdale Friday evening attending a dance given by a number of young ladies of that place.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Stickle visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Blasy Thursday.

Mrs. Harry Cochran and children spent Friday with her father, J. J. Cochran of the Vanderbilt Hotel.

Miss Sara V. Price left Wednesday for Cleveland, O., where she will visit her sister, Mrs. Harry Lantz for a few weeks.

Rockwood.

ROCKWOOD, March 3.—Thieves entered the store of J. C. McSpadden of Market street early Saturday morning by breaking the large plate glass window and forced and escaped with several dollars worth of goods. No track of the thugs have as yet been discovered, although several clues have been run down by the local police.

Engineer H. Newcomer has returned home from St. Joseph's hospital at Baltimore, Md., where he underwent an operation for hernia. Mr. Newcomer will soon be able to pull the throttle of the engine within a short time.

The youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Mack of Boardway, died suddenly last evening of infantile paralysis. The remains were shipped to Boswell where interment was held Sunday at 1:00 P. M.

Freeman M. Lyons, formerly mail carrier from near Rockwood and Scottsdale, will in the near future leave for the State of Louisiana where he will make an inspection of the farming lands with the intention of purchasing a farm.

James Hainsbaugh, a B. & O. conductor of Painesville, O., is the guest of his mother, Mrs. Catharine Hainsbaugh of Broadway for several weeks.

Another Victim of Electric Chair.

AUBURN, N. Y., March 4.—The week beginning today has been fixed as the time for the execution of the Scottsdale met at the best of the Zimmerman on Loucks avenue, Scottsdale, Saturday afternoon. The regular program was disposed of and the entire time given to Mrs. Winslow Granne of Albany, N. Y., and Miss Julia Morton of Pittsburg, who addressed the club on the anti-suffrage movement. Mrs. Granne has for 23 years been active in the anti-suffrage cause having addressed meetings in almost every State in the union. Miss Harding was organizer and president of the anti-suffrage Century Club, one of the oldest best anti-suffrage organizations in Pittsburg. Both gave interesting and instructive addresses, showing reasons why women should not vote. Almost the entire audience which numbered 50 signed the paper against the bill. The paper was signed by Messrs. J. M. D. Bryce, Ralph Barnhart, Kirk Bryce, Jesse Mullin, Eugene Warden, U. L. Gordy, S. C. Stevenson, D. M. Pignam, George Stoner, Lloyd Karp, F. L. Marsh, M. W. Horner and Misses Warden and Goshall. Mrs. Warden was accompanied by Mrs. Hixon of Pittsburg and Miss Painter of Greensburg.

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Mrs. Charles Bowman of Marguerite was the guest of friends in town on Saturday.

Charles Kuhn, a student at the University of Pennsylvania, spent Saturday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kuhn of Main street.

Mrs. Frank Perkey and family of Oliphant Furnace, are the guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Galley, while Mr. Perkey, the store manager at Oliphant buys his spring goods in the city.

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NEWS OF THE DAY IN MT. PLEASANT

Happenings of Interest in the Busy Town Among the Hills.

WHAT THE PEOPLE ARE DOING

Entertainers For Many Guests in Honor of Daughter's Birthday—Pupils' Recital at Mt. Pleasant Institute. Saturday Afternoon Club Meets.

Special to The Courier

MT. PLEASANT, March 4.—Mr. and Mrs. A. Schachte entertained Gladys and Eva Gans of Scottsdale; Roy Smiley, Stauffer; Beatrice Miller, Violet Brown, Charlotte Fox, Pauline White, Ruth and Nellie Kiaman, Jesse Stephens, Avis and Gladys Martin, Hazel Myers, Helen and Eva Shotel, Margaret and Irene Treber, Thelma and Abel Barnhart, Ruth Gerhart, Martha and Emma Nemecsek, Martha Schringer, Lulu Morrison, Emma Hudac, Margaret Morrison, Agnes Tomomah, Kenneth and Lloyd Schachte and Lila Bitter, at their Bridgeport street home on Saturday afternoon from 2 to 5 o'clock in honor of their daughter Violet's eighth birthday. The rooms were tastefully decorated in red, white and blue. Besides the lunch that was served, the birthday cake was cut and served each guest Miss Violet received many nice presents. The children spent the afternoon playing games and were chaperoned by Mrs. Clara Miller and Miss Myrtle Peitz.

Another of the many recitals was given in the Institute Chapel on Saturday evening by the pupils of the Mt. Pleasant Classical and Scientific Institute. The program rendered was as follows: Piano duet, Misses Hickey and "The Tern Song," Miss Virginia Miller, Sonata Op. 25, Mrs. Iva Hollehn, "Spanish Gypsy," Margaret Vogelman, "The Wild Horseman," Sarah Smith; "Two Grenadiers," Michael Gazo, prelude, Marie Hickey, "Marguerite," Elizabeth Doherty, "Pounce of the Butterflies," Ruth Easton, prelude Op. 25, Mrs. Iva Hollehn, "In Freeland," Elizabeth Harsany, "Spinning Song," Ruth Hossart, "Happy Days," Lulu Kane; "Gondolier," Mary Keller, "The Rosary," Winifred Rial, "An Old English Dance," Edna House, vocal duet, Mrs. Myers and Mrs. Gazo, "The Butterfly," Edna Shallenberger, "Knowest Thou That Fair Land," Anna George; "Voices of Spring," Laura Borth, (a) "Garden of Flowers," (b) "The Bees," Girl's Glee Club.

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The G. A. R. met in the I. O. O. F. hall on Saturday evening and went through their regular routine of business.

John Zuck, Ben Miller and Goshall Myers were a committee appointed to meet a committee of Sons of the Civil War veterans in an effort to revive a Sons of Veterans Camp here.

In one of the hardest fought games of the season Irvin defeated Mt. Pleasant by a score of 41 to 41. Ervin and Perry were knocked out during the game. The lineup:

Ervin	Forward	Thompson
Reynolds	Forward	Cunningham
Blair	Center	King
Evans	Guard	Eicher
Frye	Guard	McClain
Substitutions	Rumbaugh for McClain, Field goals Davis 3, Reynolds 7, Blair Evans Frye 4, Thompson Cunningham 2, King 7, Eicher Rumbaugh 2, Frye 13, out of 20; Thompson missed 3, King 1 out of 2; Referee, Braddock, Timekeeper, McCoy and Soorer, Stillwagon.	

Mrs. Louisa Banning has taken to the Memorial hospital Saturday where she will undergo a series of treatments.

The body of Miss Edna Karp, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Karp who died at Mt. Alto with tuberculosis was shipped here yesterday and taken to her Bridgeport home. Miss Karp was at Mt. Alto for about a year.

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MONDAY EVENING, MARCH 4, 1912.

The British Coal Strike.
The British Government is usually
enabled to act more directly and per-
sistently in meeting public crises than
the American Government can, this
because of the fact that we are bound
to our Constitution and laws more
strictly. Our Constitution is a written
document, and is consequently not so
flexible as that of Great Britain. There
remains, also, the other anomaly dif-
ference, that England is a monarchy and
the United States a democracy, and
there still lingers in the English mon-
archy that much of the element of a
more centralized government.

The British miners' strike promises
to paralyze British industry and re-
duce the nation to a state of help-
lessness and want, hence the Government
has taken the matter up. After an earnest
effort to reconcile the differences of
the operators and their men, the En-
glish Premier has announced that, if
further negotiations fail, the Govern-
ment will take the matter into its own
hands until Parliament shall provide
legislation establishing a minimum
wages scale for all underground work.

It is not announced what labor the
Government will employ if it under-
takes to operate the mines itself, but
the attitude of the miners would in-
dicate that they do not expect to be
employed. Yet why not? Who else
will the Government get? Coal min-
ing in Great Britain is in a sense a
stranded labor. Why shouldn't the striking
miners work for the Government which
is working to save the nation at least one
of their demands, namely, the mini-
mum wages scale?

The Law and the Union.
It seems to be necessary in the
Western Pennsylvania mining regions
to employ foreign labor. This has its
advantages and disadvantages. The
chief advantage lies in the flexibility
of this labor supply. It comes and goes
with the demand and supply. One of
the chief objections to it is the difficulty
of making the foreigners understand
that they must obey the laws of this
country.

The singular spectacle is presented
this week of a strike at the Chamouni
mine on the Monongahela river because
of an order from the Mine Inspector of
the district directing that none but
safety lamps be used on the return air
course. The American miners, accus-
tomed to the authority of the law and the
wisdom of it, expressed themselves as
perfectly willing to use the safety
lamps, but a number of Poles rebelled
against it, inaugurated a strike and
caused the shutting down of the mine.
These foreigners are all members of
the United Mine Workers, and they
now demand that the union take up
their cause, secure a suspension of the
Inspector's order, a reopening of the
mine and their reinstatement as
workmen therein.

The course of the union will be fol-
lowed with interest.

The business men of Greensburg and
Jeannette have joined together and
called the Bell Telephone Company be-
fore the State Railroad Commission,
alleging poor service and excessive
charges. The outcome of the proceed-
ings will be watched with absorbing
interest by many other Western Penn-
sylvania communities. Connelleville
cannot complain so much of poor ser-
vice, but it will join heartily in the
protest against extravagant toll charges
more especially on the short circuits.
The Tri-State telephone company gives
its patrons practically county-wide local
service without other than the rental
charge. The Bell company limits the
free circuit to the town, and makes a
toll charge for every message sent out-
side. The average business man finds
his rental bill a small portion of his
telephone account at the close of the
month.

As a revenue-producer, the Burgess
office fell down somewhat last month.
The weather seems to affect all manner
of business.

Latrobe rejoices over the acquisition
of a militia company. Altoona loses to
Latrobe.

Wood Wilson will have no walk-over
for the Democratic Presidential nomi-
nation. Oscar Welling Underwood, who
has chopped down the tree of Tariff
Protection, presents his claims and in-
ferentially asks what the Professor has
ever done to warrant his asking the
honor.

The Western Maryland seems to have
acquired a permanent lumber business
at Confluence.

The Cummins boom has been lamen-
ted in Folk county, Iowa. In thanking
the convention, Senator Cummins said,
"We are in the midst of a great tur-
moil." Politically, the turmoil isn't as

The Houn' Song.



big as it looks to the former member
from Greene county. Industrially and
financially, there wouldn't be any tur-
moil at all if the Progressives would
cease lending comfort to the disturbing
Democrats.

The Carnegie Library is popular with
the school children.

Company D will not get that little
jaunt to the Mexican border. Every-
thing doesn't go all the time in this un-
certain military life.

Field Marshal Fling has disclosed his
object in entering politics again. He
wants to be a Cabinet Minister.

The early morning work of a negro
thus on one of the principal streets of
Connelleville does not speak well for
the embryonic city.

The Fire House is still smoking
hopefully up.

Patron's Day is growing in popular-
ity in Fayette county.

The electric show showed the ladies
of Connelleville some interesting first
aids to housekeeping.

Uncle John Wanamaker has declared
for Taft. Too much I'll in the
T. Roosevelt boom.

Colonel Roosevelt is having a lively
time trying to dodge the political
things he has said and written during
the past several years. The wise poli-
tician hath a still tongue.

Chasport is to get an ax works from
New England. It is evidently consid-
ered better business policy to bring
the handles to the axes.

The Western Maryland announced
that its Connelleville connection will
be completed April 11th, in plenty of
time for the new spring schedules and
summer excursions.

P. Diaz is reported to have an ear on
the ground listening intently for the
recall. He is a recent convert to the
recall, just like some great American
statesmen.

MOUNT PLEASANT.

By Isaac of Yulon

Just the other day your Isaac took
a trip to Mount Pleasant for his health.
When a man has a honking kidney
and all indications of Bright's disease
and has not enough money to take an
ocean trip to Europe the next best
thing to do is to take a trip to Mount
Pleasant.

Mount Pleasant by way of the
Houma route will cure the worst kind
of liver complaint and sour stomach.
Your Iky boy can recommend it to
the afflicted. Works fine or money
back.

Jim Logan, the ancient and accept-
ed mail carrier, who used to "wagon"
to Mount Pleasant was not to be
found. You're truly want to the hotel
where I'm used to stop; looked in at
the barroom where Jim used to sit
his anguish; looked out the pike to-
ward Donegal to see a streak of the
aforesaid Jimmy but no odor of his
being could be seen or smell.

People have become fuzzy in their
minds over a long Scotch poem en-
titled "Decided the Bonnie Briar
Bush." They have not seen Jim Lo-
gan's poem, "The Pitcher That Went
to the Well Too Often," and other
poems.

Mount Pleasant is the home of As-
sistant District Attorney N. A. Cort.
He settled here some time after the
Mexican War and is well acquainted
with the people. He introduced your
Isaac to a number of them and they
were all glad to see a man from
Yulon.

Among the collection of relics which
Mr. Cort has is the old rifle with which
he shot the Shull-Mulvihill episode.
Shot it with a silver bullet. He is
getting the hide tanned for a floor
rug. Was out gunning when the
episode made at him and he just shot
it. Skinned it and took the hide home
and tacked it up against the side of the
barn to dry!

Great lordy boys, there's no chance
for another Shull-Mulvihill episode to
come head first at Mr. Cort when he
has this rifle or it's a dead episode, sure.

Have You Done Anything?

If you have then advertise for it in
our classified column. In a word,

STATEMENT OF CIRCULATION.

STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, COUNT-

ty of Fayette, ss.
Before me, the subscriber, a Notary
Public within and for said County and
State, personally appeared James J.
Driscoll, who being duly sworn, ac-
cording to law, did depose and say:

That he was Manager of Circulation
of The Courier, a daily newspaper
published in Connelleville, Pa., and that
the number of papers printed during
the week ending Saturday, March
2nd, 1912, was as follows:

January 26 4,012
February 27 7,098
February 28 7,092
February 29 7,092
March 1 6,984
March 2 7,350

Total 42,627
Daily Average 7,944

That the daily circulation by months
for the year 1911 to date was as fol-
lows:

January 14,517 7,128
February 14,501 6,873
March 15,501 6,873
April 17,528 7,003
May 15,471 6,424
June 17,272 6,779
July 17,524 7,000
August 14,702 6,405
September 15,400 7,134
October 17,037 6,920
November 18,780 7,107
December 17,529 6,827

Total 2,152,711 8,941

That the daily circulation by months
for the year 1912 to date was as fol-
lows:

January 14,406 6,822
February 17,500 7,004
And further sworn to by Jas. J. Driscoll,
Sworn to and subscribed to before me
this 4th day of March, 1912.

J. B. KURTZ, Notary Public.

CLASSIFIED ADS.
ONE CENT A WORD.

Wanted.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED FARMER
would like position at once. Address
E. B. K., care Courier. 2mar12d

WANTED—REPAIR WORK, ELEC-
trical or mechanical, sewing machines,
typewriters, locks, etc. WELLS-
MILLS ELECTRIC CO. 30antfed

WANTED—600 MEN 20 TO 40 YEARS
old wanted at once for Electric Railway
Motormen and Conductors, \$90 to \$100
a month; no experience necessary; fine
opportunities; no strike, write im-
mediately for application blank. Ad-
dress TROLLEY, care of Courier. 3Feb12d

For Rent.

FOR RENT—HOME HOTEL. In-
quire 109 MAIN STREET, second floor
20antf

FOR RENT—SIX FURNISHED
rooms and bath. Price \$18.00. Also
four room flat. Inquire 114 MORTON
AVENUE. 3mar12d

Abe Martin



Prof Tansey bought a beautiful
morceau bound universal dictionary
yesterday for a dollar down and the rest
sometimes when he's taken un-
expectedly.
When Lillian Russell hain't mountin'
his wittin' formulas for eye lash
stain.

A Card
to Rug
Buyers

We have made the state-
ment that "quality consid-
ered, prices were lower here
than elsewhere." The best
way to prove this to you is
to tell you a few plain facts
about Empire Rugs, size
9x12. Those who bought
them here paid us just \$10
for them. Those who bought
them elsewhere paid \$10.95
part of the time. \$13.50 be-
fore that, and how much be-
fore that we don't know. But
the plain fact is that they
are \$10 here and will be un-
til the factory price changes.

We mention this plainly
because we want you to
know that if you have a rug
want that you owe it to your
pocketbook to see the rugs
we have here, and this store
buys just as cheap, as any
other store in this vicinity
and quality considered,
prices are lower here than
elsewhere.

Rugs such as we mention
above are not the kind that
has established the reputa-
tion of this store for "every-
thing that is good in floor
coverings." And while we
are mostly able to supply the
cheaper article asked for,
we do not make cheap mer-
chandise the basis of our
business and set up a "hol-
ler" about prices on goods
that are not characteristic
of this store. It is the high-
er grade Carpets and Rugs
as well as moderate prices
that has built up the reputa-
tion of this store, as the best
place to buy Carpets and
Rugs, and not the cheap and
inferior kind that other
stores might about about
that have not a single virtue
but price.

FOR ASSEMBLY, Second District
JOSEPH H. KING
Everson, Pa.
Subject to Republican Primar-
ies, Saturday, April 13, 1912.
Your vote and influence respect-
fully solicited.

Turn Over
a New Leaf
By subscribing
for THIS PAPER

E. DUNN

Down on Pittsburg Street.

Beautiful Showing of
Spring and Summer
Wash Dresses

Entirely New Styles in White and
Colored Materials That Will Make
a Visit to This Store Well Worth
Your While.

Whether or not you have begun your Spring sew-
ing you should have a look at these. The styles are
prettier and the workmanship just as good as your
sewing girl will be able to turn out and the price we
are quite sure, is far below what it will cost you to
have them made. Come now and look them over
while the showing is at its best.

The line includes young ladies' and little women's
dresses, misses' dresses in ages from 6 to 14 years,
children's dresses in ages from 1 to 6, and infants'
long dresses at all prices.

They are made of fine lawns, ginghams, tissues,
poplins, etc., and are beautifully trimmed in laces and
embroideries in white and colors. Crocheted buttons
and heavy laces, colored pipings, side frills, contrast-
ing materials and touches of hand embroidery. We
will not attempt to describe their many style features
but will be glad to show them.

Watch for Particulars of
Suit and Silk
Sale
Coming Soon.
A Grand Opportunity to Save.

New Dress Ginghams
Quite a good assortment of desirable patterns,
mostly small checks and stripes in black, blue, pink
and lavender. Suitable for ladies' and children's
dresses, waists, boys' suits and men's shirts. 32
inches wide and marked to sell at only 15c

E. DUNN

DOWN ON PITTSBURG STREET.

Rest for Tired Feet

**Dr. Edison
Cushion Shoe**

A woman who has to be
on her feet a large part of the
time will be delighted with the
restfulness of this shoe.
The live wool sole conforms
to the foot, gives even support,
relieves fatigue.

A Sylish Shoe with a Cushion Sole

The happy combination perfected by the makers of the Dr.
Edison Cushion Shoe.

Come into our store and try them on.

C. W. DOWNS & CO.,

For Style For Comfort For Service

The Nettleton Shoes \$5, \$5.50, \$6

The Dr. Reeds Cushion Sole \$5.50

The Howard and Foster Shoes \$5

Ralston Health Shoes \$4, \$4.50, \$5

There's no getting away from this philoso-
phy—the best shoes made for men, are those
that have most of the best in them.

Hooper & Long

Distinctively individual

Just the most perfect blend of all
The Turkish flavor was you.
The mild, mellow fragrance is different,
It's all in the tobacco—and the way they
are blended to be perfect.
No other cigarettes are like the Fatimas.

FATIMA
TURKISH
BLEND
CIGARETTES

The simple, tidy package
gives you ten additional—
for 15 cents.

20 for 15 cents

With each package of Fatima you
get a permanent coupon, 25 of which
will secure you a set of
the new Fatima Cigarette
holder (12.50)—valued at 100.

SEASON COMES TO CLOSE THIS WEEK

The Cokers Have One More
Game at Home and Two
on the Road.

UNIONTOWN IS DYING HARD

Little Short of Complete Reversal of
Form Can Enable Uniontown to
Lose the Pennant—Uniontown Here
Tomorrow Night for Local Windup.

SATURDAY NIGHT'S RESULT.
Johnstown 47; Charleroi 38.

CLUB STANDING.	W.	L.	Pct.
Johnstown	45	17	.725
Uniontown	43	19	.691
Connellsville	34	28	.549
Charleroi	24	37	.393

SCHEDULE THIS WEEK.
Monday—Johnstown at Uniontown;
Connellsville at Charleroi.
Tuesday—Uniontown at Connellsville.
Wednesday—Uniontown at Johnstown.
Thursday—Connellsville at Uniontown.
Friday—Johnstown at Charleroi.
Saturday—Charleroi at Johnstown.

The Central league basketball season will come to a close this week. The season hasn't been a howling success at any time and none of the clubs has made money. The Cokers have done as well as the best, but were under a handicap. South Side, it is understood, never paid any guarantees, and Charleroi fell behind of late. It is hardly likely the Coker management will get expenses over to the game in the Magic City tonight. There is a balance due this club from the Charlers for past deficiencies.

The last home game of the season will be with Uniontown tomorrow night and it promises to be the hardest fought of all. Uniontown has to win every other game to have a look in at the pennant and the Steelies are not going to overlook any bats at all. Tonight Johnstown plays in Uniontown and it will be a battle royal from start to finish.

The Cokers go to Charleroi tonight, play Uniontown here tomorrow and wind up their schedule at Uniontown Thursday. So far the Uniontown-Connellsville series has been an even break. Neither side has won on the other's floor. Both are anxious to smash this record, so there will be some basketball.

SHATTERED NERVES

Of Brooklyn Girl Were Soon Rebuilt
By Vinol.

Did you know that nervous conditions due to overwork, mental strain and worry, or run-down condition of the system, can be cured?

"No one can realize what it means to have shattered nerves unless they have been through this trial," says Frances Grubert of Brooklyn. "For the last two years my nervous system seemed to be completely broken down and caused me a great deal of suffering. Vinol has made me well again. I have found it the greatest nerve and body builder on the market and there is nothing equal to it in recommending Vinol to all nervous women and men."

This delicious cod liver and iron preparation without oil (Vinol) is so helpful in nervous conditions because it enriches the blood, builds up the whole body, this nourishing and strengthening the nerves. We guarantee Vinol to give you satisfaction, refunding the money if it does not. Graham & Co., Druggists, Connellsville. Vinol is sold in West Connellsville by Fred H. Harmaning, druggist.

Patrons these who advertise in this paper.

RAILROAD EMPLOYEES ARE PLANNING ORGANIZATION

Movement Under Way to Place Shop-
men on Common Footing
With Others.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 4.—Delegates representing the shop trades on every western railroad are to hold a conference here this week with a number of prominent labor leaders and representatives of the various other branches of organized railroad labor, to perfect the details of a general combination or confederation of all the mechanical trades on the railroads west of the Mississippi river. A great deal of preparatory work has been done already, but there is still much to be done before this far-reaching plan can be brought to full maturity.

In a general way the complete plans contemplate the formation of a territorial organization of industrial employees that will include every railroad operating west of the Mississippi river. Before this ultimate result can be achieved, it will be necessary to perfect a system of federations of the various organized crafts of every one of the western railroads.

Heretofore the mechanical trades of the various railroads were not federated with the other trades of their respective lines and in case of a strike they had no support from the other trades. The railroad companies, having an understanding among themselves, helped each other and the strikers were invariably defeated, feeling that their weakness was due to the lack of a thorough understanding between the railroad employees, a movement was started to bring the various trades into closer touch and to form not only federations of the mechanical trades of all western railroads, but also system federations including combinations on every railroad between the mechanical and the traffic trades of that railroad. In other words a federation of the shop men with the engineers, firemen, conductors and brakemen of each system.

After these plans have been carried to full completion the labor leaders believe the mechanical trades will be in a position to bring sufficient pressure to bear upon the railroads to obtain from them the granting of their wage demands hitherto refused. Demands will be made on all railroads in the same territory at the same time, so that all these railroads will be involved at the same time, should a strike be called. Even if the railroads should be inclined to resist the demands of the shopmen, they will, it is believed, be compelled to yield, if the shop men are fully supported by the brotherhood or organizations of the other branches of work on the same railroad system.

HEAR FROM FRIENDS

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rogers Still Remembering Congratulations.
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rogers, who celebrated the 55th anniversary of their marriage Sunday a week ago, are in receipt of a number of letters of congratulations from their friends in distant cities and towns, who learned of the celebration through the columns of The Daily Courier. Among the letters was one from Walter Dull, a former Connellsville resident and now located in New York city. Mr. Dull speaks in particular of an incident of nearly 45 years ago, recalled to his memory on reading of the anniversary celebration. In January, 1867, when Mr. Dull alighted from a train in Connellsville too ill to walk to his home without assistance, Mr. Rogers, who was at that station kindly offered assistance, which was gratefully accepted. On their arrival at the Dull home as they entered the hall Mr. Dull fell to the floor. His sickness proved to be a severe case of smallpox.

Mr. Dull stated in the letter that in all those long years Mr. Rogers's act of kindness had not been forgotten and closed with wishing Mr. and Mrs. Rogers many happy returns of the anniversary.

Youthful Desperado on Trial.
CHICAGO, Ill., March 4.—Adelbert Clark, the young desperado who shot and killed Lawrence C. Dill, a banker at Centralia, in a daylight attempt to rob the bank last December, was arraigned in the Lewis county circuit court here today and stand trial on a charge of first degree murder.

Southern Shoe Retailers.
ATLANTA, Ga., March 4.—The annual convention of the Southern Shoe Retailers' Association began in this city today with an attendance representing a dozen States. The members will spend three days in the discussion of numerous matters relating to the retail shoe trade.

CALENDAR OF SPORTS FOR THE WEEK.

MONDAY.
Opening of the eighth annual spring golf tournament at Pinehurst, N. C.

Tuesday.
Tournament for the national amateur billiard championship opens in New York.

Wednesday.
Opening of automobile shows in Denver and Des Moines.
Eddie Murphy vs. Willie Ritchie, 10 rounds, at South Bend, Ind.

Thursday.
Opening of horse shot at Oaklawn Park, 1st Springs, Ark.
Clarence English vs. "Wildcat" Ford, 10 rounds, at St. Joseph, Mo.

Friday.
Opening of annual bench show of Central Ohio Kennel Club, Columbus, Ohio.

Saturday.
Opening of annual show of Louisville Automobile Dealers' Association, Louisville, Ky.

Sunday.
Central States interscholastic basketball championships at Evanston, Ill.
Opening of the Florida open golf championship tournament at Palm Beach.

Monday.
Annual meeting of the American Bowling Congress in Chicago.

Tuesday.
Opening of annual bench show of St. Louis (Mo.) Collie Club.

Wednesday.
Annual championship tournament of National Bowling Association at Patterson, N. J.

Thursday.
Intercollegiate swimming championships at University of Pennsylvania.

Friday.
Annual indoor track and field games of the Mohawk A. C., New York City.

Saturday.
Annual indoor games of the Pittsburgh A. C., Pittsburgh.

Sunday.
Northwestern-Vincennes dual indoor meet at Evansville, Ind.

Monday.
Kansas-Missouri dual indoor meet at Kansas City.

Tuesday.
Opening of annual polo tournament at Aiken, S. C.

Wednesday.
Aho Attel vs. Tommy Murphy, 20 rounds, at San Francisco.

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Sam McVoy vs. Jim Barry, 20 rounds, at Sydney, Australia.

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NERVOUS, DEBILITATED AND RUN-DOWN

Either the Rest Cure or Tona
Vita Will Build You
Up Again

If you are nervous, debilitated, and run down in health, there are two things you can do to bring back your strength and vitality. You can go to a sanatorium and take the rest cure, or you can secure the great modern tonic "Tona Vita" and let it build you up and furnish new nourishment for your shattered nerves.

If you knew what wonderful results have been accomplished by "Tona Vita" since physicians first introduced it in this country you would much rather take this tonic than go to any sanatorium on earth. There is a statement from Mr. J. H. Heuse, of 381 Twentieth Ave., Milwaukee, Wis., who has tried "Tona Vita." "I was all run down, financially nervous and suffered with the most violent headaches. I felt tired and dull all day, my body seemed benumbed at all times, and I did not sleep well. My digestion was imperfect and I was continually constipated. As soon as I did anything my stomach filled with gas and I was distressed for a half hour or more. My mind was dull and my memory very poor. I contracted a cold easily and suffered with severe coughs. Sometimes ago I talked with a physician who advised me to take "Tona Vita." I did it and am glad I did for the medicine was wonderful in my case. I feel as though I had a new lease on life. My ambition has returned as well as my strength and energy."

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A. C. Clarke is agent for Tona Vita in Connellsville and will refund the purchase price if it is not entirely satisfactory. The Approved Formula Co., Dayton, O.

FREIGHT RATES TO LAKES UNDER FIRE

Wade H. Ellis Attacks Al-
leged Unjust Charges Up-
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DISCRIMINATION IS ALLEGED

Attorney for Operators in Bollean
Suits Declares Railroads Keep Rates
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ings in the West Virginia Field.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Mar. 4.—Charging that the New York Central system, the Pennsylvania system and their subsidiary companies discriminate against coal shipped from the Pittsburgh district to the lakes for shipment by boat, in the matter of freight rates and in favor of coal shipped from West Virginia and Kentucky because they are large owners of West Virginia and Kentucky coal, Wade Ellis of Ohio, urged before the Interstate Commerce Commission on Saturday, in the case of John W. Bollean against Pittsburgh & Lake Erie and other railroads.

The complaint is that a rate of 88 cents is charged for coal shipped from Pittsburgh to Ashland harbor while the rate for coal shipped from West Virginia and Kentucky points is very little more although the distance is more than twice as great. Mr. Ellis stated that the rate per ton per mile on the West Virginia shipment is more than 50 per cent less than the rate from Pittsburgh.

Mr. Ellis said that the equipment of the roads, the volume of shipments and the mode of handling, made the most favorable conditions in the country for the handling of this coal and that the rate should be low instead of high. He insisted that the question in issue is simply whether the rate of 88 cents is charging a reasonable rate to the shippers of Pittsburgh coal. On the other hand he said the railroads are trying to make it appear that it is a fight between Pennsylvania and West Virginia for the coal markets of the lakes.

He insisted that the real reason for discrimination against the Pittsburgh coal is to protect the coal holdings of the railroads in West Virginia. Asked to explain what he meant, he said that they had bought 8,000 acres in one county in connection with the Little Kanawha system, which is owned by the New York Central, Pennsylvania and the Baltimore & Ohio. He said the Pennsylvania owns stock in the Norfolk & Western which owns most of the Pocahontas field. He said the Ohio Central Lines, which owns large tracts of coal, is in keeping down the prices for hauling West Virginia coal and in keeping up the rate on coal from Pittsburgh these railroads are simply making Pittsburgh help to pay the cost of carrying West Virginia coal to market.

On account of improved conditions, larger equipment and better volume of business, Mr. Ellis said the rate on coal to the Lakes ought to be lower now than ever before, but instead of such a rate in ten years it has gone up from 78 cents to 88 cents, and that when the rate was 73 cents rebating was practiced so that in effect the rate was only about 60 cents. He said the carriers had been for 20 years absorbing all the profits of the Pittsburgh coal operators and that the only marvel is that the Pittsburgh operators who have suffered no many years from this injustice should have borne it with such patience.

O. E. Butterfield, representing the New York Central spoke on behalf of the railroads. He said that an order such as the commission is asked to make would take \$4,000,000 from the receipts of the railroads and would have an effect on 60,000,000 tons of coal which would amount to about \$15,000,000 and that this should not be done without real reason for doing so. He said the rate on coal to the Lakes is about 10 per cent of the producer of the coal, and that if the lake market were taken away entirely it would make little difference in the general prosperity of that district. The real trouble with the coal business he said, is that the capacity to produce such a rate is the capacity of the market to consume it.

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FURNISHINGS FOR WOMEN AND MISSES**
that we have ever had in our history, consisting of shirt waists, gloves, hosiery, neckwear, underwear and all other articles that women like to buy made up. The most choice line of petticoats ever in our stores at the most reasonable prices. It would be to your interest to see our line of hosiery and neckwear, it would be to your interest to see our line of shirt waists; it would be to your interest to see our line of gloves, and the right time is when the stocks are full. During the entire month of March, we will be receiving daily, new additions to the stock. The best way to keep posted on what is coming in, is to go to the stores often.

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Great Reductions

In every department

Ladies', Misses' and Juniors

Coats, Suits and Dresses,

Dry Goods and Millinery,

Clothing, Shoes and

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MARCH
BY MISS HILDA WADSWORTH. ILLUSTRATED BY WELLMAN.

"March comes in like a lion!"
"I'll go out like a lamb," they say.
"I find that he is just like that!"
"I noticed it today!"

Par like an angry lion
I went
To fire our new cook
And he came out
Just like a lamb
With a very
sheepish look.

Basketball Tomorrow Night

Connellsville vs. Uniontown

TICKETS
25, 50, 75
CENTS

Scottdale, Brooke's Drug Store
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Connellsville, Graham's Drug Store

GAME STARTS AT 8:45 O'CLOCK

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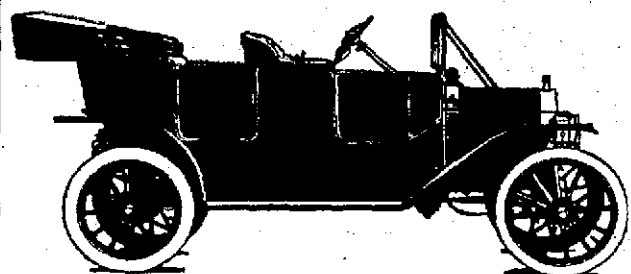
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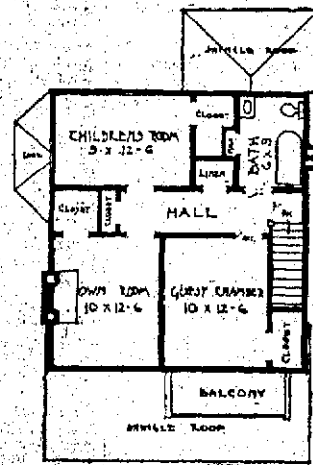
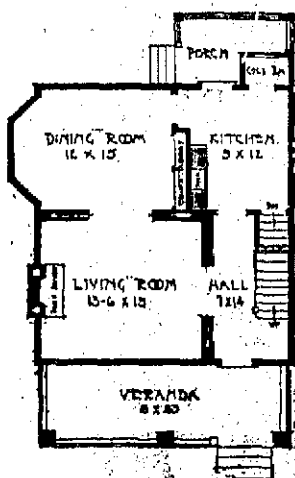
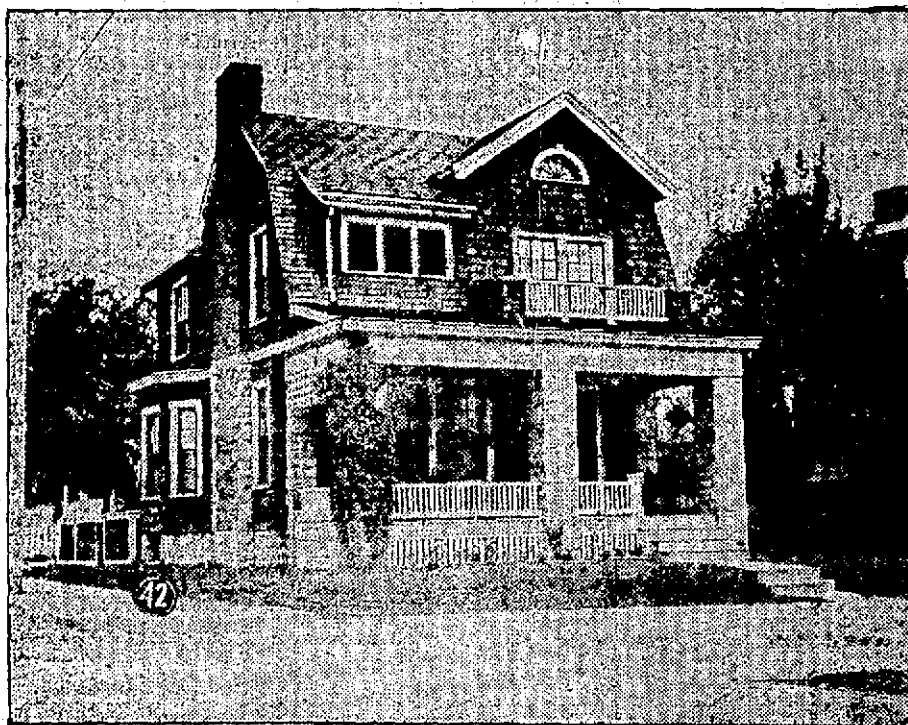
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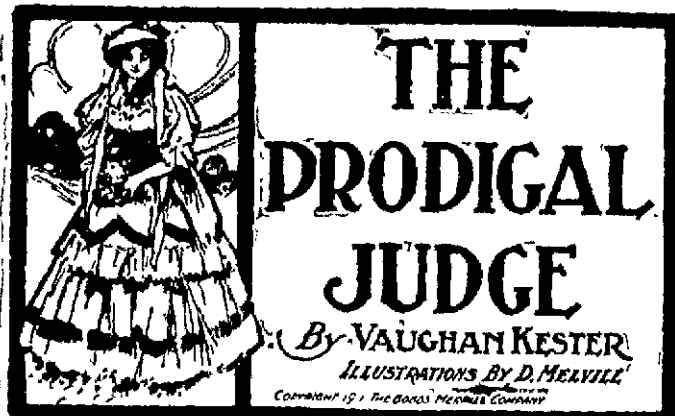
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The judge paused abruptly. He seemed a moment of agonizing irresolution.

"On the advice of my physician I dare not touch wine—gout, ma'am, and liver—but this restriction does not apply to corn whiskey—in moderation, and as a tonic—either before meals, immediately after meals or at any time between meals—always keeping in mind the idea of its tonic properties." The judge seemed to mellow and ripen. This was much better than having the dogs staked on you! His manner toward Betty became almost fatherly. Poor young thing, so lonely and desolate in the midst of all this splendor—no surreptitiously wiped away a tear, and when little Steve presented himself and was told to bring whisky, audibly smacked his lips—a whole lot better, surely!

"I am sorry you think you must hurry away, Judge Price," said Betty. She still retained the small brown



"Since You Insist, Ma'am—My Best Respects."

band Hannibal had thrust into hers. The eastern mail gets in today, ma'am, and I have reason to think my share of it will be especially heavy, for it brings the bulk of my professional correspondence." In ten years the judge had received just one communication by mail—a bill which had followed him through four states and seven counties. "I expect Solomon Mahaffy's status," he already dipping into it, an excellent assistant, ma'am, but literary rather than legal."

Little Steve responded bearing a silver tray on which was a decanter and glass.

"Since you insist, ma'am," the judge poured himself a drink, "my best respects—" he bowed profoundly.

"If you are quite willing, judge, I think I will keep Hannibal, Miss Bowen, who has been here—since—her voice broke suddenly.

"I understand, ma'am," said the judge soothingly. He gave her a glance of great concern and turned to Hannibal. "Dear lad, you'll be very quiet and obedient, and do exactly as Miss Mahaffy says? When shall I come for him, ma'am?"

"I'll send him to you when he is ready to go home. I am thinking of visiting my friends in North Carolina, and I should like to have him spend as much time as possible with me before I start for the east."

It had occurred to Betty that who had done little or nothing for the child; probably this would be her last opportunity.

The state of the judge's feelings was such that with elaborate absence of mind he poured himself a second drink of whisky; and that there should be no doubt the act was one of inadvertence, said again, "My best respects, ma'am," and bowed as before. Putting down the glass, he backed toward the door.

"I trust you will not hesitate to call upon me if I can be of any use to you, ma'am—a message will bring me here without a moment's delay." He was rather disappointed that no allusion had been made to his recent activities. He reasoned correctly that Betty was as yet in ignorance of the somewhat dangerous eminence he had achieved as the champion of law and order. However, he reflected with satisfaction that Hannibal, in remaining, would admirably serve his ends.

Betty insisted that he should be driven home, and after faintly protesting, the judge gracefully yielded the point, and a few moments later rolled away from Belle Plain behind a pair of sleek-coated bays, with a negro in liver on the box. He was conscious of a great sense of exaltation. He felt that he should paralyze Mahaffy, he even temporarily forgot the boy, his hopes had sustained when Betty spoke of returning to North Carolina. This was life—broad acres and big game—principally to trot after you,

tolling liquor—and such liquor!—he lolled back luxuriantly with half-closed eyes.

"Twenty years in the wood if an hour!" he muttered. "I'd like to have just such a taste in my mouth when I come to die and probably she has barrels of it!" he sighed deeply, and snatched his soul for words with which adequately to describe that whisky to Mahaffy.

But why not do more than paralyze Solomon—that would be pleasant but not especially profitable. The judge came back quickly to the vexed problem of his future. He desired to make some striking display of Miss Mahaffy's courtesy. He knew that his credit was experiencing the pangs of an early mortality; he was not sensitive, yet for some days he had been sensible of the fact, that what he called the commercial class was viewing him with open disfavor; but he must hang on in Raleigh a little longer—for here it had become the abode of hope. The judge considered the matter. At least he could let people see something of that decent respect with which Miss Mahaffy treated him.

They were entering Raleigh now, and he ordered the coachman to pull his horses down to a walk. He had decided to make use of the Belle Plain turnout in creating an atmosphere of confidence and trust—especially trust. To this end he spent the best part of an hour interviewing his creditors. It amounted almost to a mass-meeting of the adult male population, for he had no favorites. When he invaded virgin territory he believed in starting the largest possible number of accounts without delay. The advantage of his system as he explained his workings to Mahaffy, was that it bred a noble spirit of emulation.

He let it be known in a general way that things were looking up with him; just in what quarter he did not specify, but there he was, seated in the Belle Plain carriage, and the inference was unavoidable that Miss Mahaffy was recognizing his activities in a substantial manner.

Mahaffy, leaving away the afternoon in the county clerk's office, heard of the judge's return. He heard that Charley Norton, had left a will; that the Norton couple in middle Tennessee were going to put up a light; that Judge Price had been retained as counsel by Miss Mahaffy; that he was authorized to begin an independent search for Charley Norton's murderer, and was to spare no expense; that Judge Price was going to pay his debts. Mahaffy grinned at this and hurried home. He could believe all but the last; that was the crowning touch of unciality.

The judge explained the situation. "I wouldn't withhold hope from any man, Solomon; it's the cheapest thing in the world and the one thing we are most miserably short of extending to our fellows. These people all feel better and what did it cost me?—just a little decent consideration, just the knowledge of what the unavoidable associations of ideas in their own minds would do for them!"

What had seemed the corpse of cred it breathed again, and the judge and Mahaffy immediately embarked upon a characteristic celebration. Early candle-light found them making a be-glamis; midnight came—the gray and purple of dawn—and they were still at it, back of closed doors and shuttered windows.

CHAPTER XVIII.

Betty Leaves Belle Plain.

Hannibal had devoted himself loyally to the judge's glorification, and Betty heard all about the letter, the reward of five thousand dollars it vastly increased the child's sense of importance and satisfaction when he discovered she had known nothing of these matters until he told her of them.

"Why, where would Judge Price get so much money, Hannibal?" she asked, greatly astonished.

"He won't have to get it, Miss Betty; Mr. Mahaffy says he don't reckon no one will ever tell who wrote the letter—he 'lows the man who done that will keep pretty mum—he just desent tell!" the boy explained.

"No, I suppose not—" and Betty saw that perhaps, after all, the judge had not assumed any very great financial responsibility.

"He don't be coward, though, Hannibal!" she added, for she understood that the risk of personal violence which he ran was genuine. She had formed her own unscientific estimate of him that day at Boggs race-track; Mahaffy in his backseat hour could have added nothing to it. Twice since then who had met him in Raleigh, which had only served to fix that first impression.

"Miss Betty, he's just like my Uncle Bob was—he ain't afraid of nothing!"

He totes them pistols of his—loaded—

—if you notice good job can see where they bulge out his coat! Hannibal's eyes, very round and big,

looked up into hers. "Is he poor as he seems, Hannibal?" inquired Betty.

"He never has no money, Miss Betty, but I don't reckon he's what a body would call poor."

It might have baffled a far more mature intelligence than Hannibal's to comprehend those peculiar processes by which the judge sustained himself and his intimate fellowship with adversity—that it was his magnificence of mind which made the squalor of his daily life seem merely a passing phase—but the boy had managed to point a delicate distinction, and Betty grasped something of the hope and faith which never quite died out in Solomon Price's indomitable breast.

"But you always have enough to eat, dear?" she questioned anxiously. Hannibal properly reassured her on this point. "You wouldn't let me think anything that was not true, Hannibal—you are quite sure you have never been hungry?"

"Never, Miss Betty; honest!" Betty gave a sigh of relief. She had been reproaching herself for her neglect of the child; she had meant to do so much for him and had done nothing! Now it was too late for her personally to interest herself in his behalf, yet before she left for the east she would provide for him. If she had felt it was possible to trust the judge she would have made him her agent, but even in his best aspect he seemed a dubious dependence.

For quite different reasons, was equally out of the question. She thought of Mr. Mahaffy.

"What kind of a man is Mr. Mahaffy, Hannibal?"

"He's an awful nice man, Miss Betty, only he never lets on, a body's got to find it out for his own self—he ain't like the judge."

"Does he—drink, too, Hannibal?" questioned Betty.

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Theatrical News.



THE MAN ON THE BOX.

THE SOISSON.

"THE MAN ON THE BOX." It is an old but true saying that all the world loves a lover and a dramatist offering with a strong romantic love story is always a source of splendid entertainment to those who visit the theatre. Such a play is "The Man on the Box," which will be presented at the Soisson theatre Wednesday March 6.

The scenes of the play are located in Washington. The hero is a young lieutenant, lately resigned from the United States Army, a dare devil kind of a fellow, and a practical joker. In a spirit of fun he assumes the role of a coachman, horses the title of the play, "The Man on the Box." The comedy of the whole is in the youth's man's sweetheart, but she is unaware of the identity of her coachman. When he assists her from the carriage, he kisses her several times, which, of course, is very rude in a coachman but that's the starting point of the fun. This provides the groundwork of the humorous romance, and, judging from what has been said of the comedy, it is one of the most entertaining as well as amusing plays that has been offered to the public for several years. Probably more than 5,000,000 people have read McGuffey's novel and should be familiar with the text of the play.

had led him on to his death? A soft rose in her throat.

Hannibal looked up into her face. The memory of his own loss was never very long absent from his mind, and Miss Betty had been a victim of a similarly sinister tragedy. He recalled those first awful days of loneliness through which he had lived when there was no Uncle Bob—soft, polished, smiling and infinitely companionable.

"Why, Hannibal, you are crying—what about, dear?" asked Betty and deny.

"No, ma'am; I ain't crying," said Hannibal stoutly, but his wet lashes gave the lie to his words.

"Are you homesick—do you wish to go back to the judge and Mr. Mahaffy?"

"No, ma'am—it ain't that—I was just thinking."

"About what, dear?"

"About my Uncle Bob." The small face was very wistful.

"Oh—and you still miss him so much, Hannibal?"

"I bet I do—I reckon as 'body who knew Uncle Bob would never get over missing him; they just couldn't," Miss Betty! The judge is mighty kind, and so is Mr. Mahaffy—they're awful kind, Miss Betty, and it seems like they get kinder all the time—but with Uncle Bob, when he liked you, he just laid himself out to let you know it!"

"That does make a great difference, doesn't it?" agreed Betty sadly, and two piteous tearful eyes were bent upon him.

"Don't you reckon if Uncle Bob is alive, like the judge says, and he's ever going to find me, he had ought to be here by now?" continued Hannibal anxiously.

"But it hasn't been such a great while, Hannibal, it's only that so much has happened to you. If he was very badly hurt it may have been weeks before he could travel, and then when he could, perhaps he went back to that tavern to try to learn what had become of you. But we may be quite certain he will never abandon his search until he has made every possible effort to find you, dear! That means he will sooner or later come to west Tennessee, for there 'll always be the hope that you have found your way here."

"Sometimes I get mighty tired waiting, Miss Betty," confessed the boy. "Seems like I just couldn't wait no longer—" He sighed gently, and then his face cleared. "You reckon he'll come most any time, don't you, Miss Betty?"

"Yes, Hannibal, any day or hour!" "Whoop!" muttered Hannibal softly under his breath. Presently he asked, "Where does that branch take you to?" He nodded toward the bayou at the foot of the terrace bluff. "It empties into the river," answered Betty.

Hannibal saw a small skiff beached among the cottonwoods that grew along the water's edge and his eyes lit up instantly. He had a juvenile passion for boats.

"Why you got a boat, ain't you, Miss Betty? This was a charming and an important discovery."

"Would you like to go down to it?" inquired Betty.

"Decided I would! Does she leak any, Miss Betty?"

"I don't know about that. Do boats usually leak, Hannibal?"

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as the dramatist is said to have adhered to the lines of the story closely.

"LITTLE MISS KUTUP." The Hornell Times has the following to say of Hugh Fay and his company in the merry musical comedy "Little Miss Kutup," which will be at the Soisson theatre Friday and Saturday, March 5 and 6, with a matinee on Saturday.

It has been a long time since a Shattuck audience derived more real pleasure out of a musical production than they did last evening at the performance of "Little Miss Kutup." It was a delightful surprise to the theatre goers who had not anticipated an attraction of such worth. Hugh Fay won his audience 30 seconds after he had been on the stage and the audience could not get enough of it. He responded to more encores than any other performer has been called upon to do at the local playhouse. Mr. Fay is seen in the title role of Sherlock Hunter, a detective, and it gave him opportunity to display his eccentric comedy type in a manner which kept the audience convulsed with laughter. When a man can walk across the stage and provoke the crowds to roars of laughter, he must have some ability. Mr. Fay is not the only capable member of the company as every one appreciated the ability and hard work of the others supporting him and the excellent work of the chorus.

GOSSIP OF THE PICTURE SHOWS.

AT THE OLYMPIC. The Desman company produced a remarkable film when they turned out "Broncho Bill's Christmas Dinner." There was not only exceptionally clever acting, but the man who turned the crank had some job. A. Anderson's flying leap from a galloping horse to the flying steps was about as clever as anything produced. Placing the machine on top of the swiftly moving stage for several scenes produced a catchy effect.

A Lubin photoplay, "Twisted into Happiness," was something out of the ordinary in the line of romance and worth while. A Sellig film continued a mighty clever comed, "It's First Long Trouse." It appealed to every man who hasn't outgrown the memory of those first painfully self-conscious hours, and it is an experience seldom forgotten. The acting was clever, but the real appeal in the film was in recalling those sensations that follow the discarding of the last pair of short pants.

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Exit, Brass Band. The British army without a brass band—such is the doleful prophecy of the Pall Mall Gazette. It says that a definite proposal has been brought forward that all the brass bands of the army, except those of the guards regiments, shall be abolished and that the solo music provided for the fume shall be that of the drums and fife and bagpipes, with the pipers for the Scottish regiments.

Fire Lightning Loss. A careful analysis of Prussian lightning statistics shows that damage due to lightning has markedly decreased in the cities in recent years.

Tax On Husbands. Among other unpleasing taxes there used to be a tax on the English hearth. The tax collector made his assessments by counting the chimneys.

Helps Blacksmiths. A power-driven rotary hoof puller to take the place of the horseshoer's tongs, knife and rasp has been invented by a Nevada man.

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Special to The Courier.
SCOTSDALE, March 4.—The annual meeting of the Eureka Grange, Patrons of Husbandry, held in their hall in the Eicher & Gruff building on Saturday, surpassed any previous celebration by the Grange in the number present and in the interest of the proceedings. During the forenoon session the hall was filled, but in the afternoon the big room which will accommodate about 400 people was more than filled. The dinner served by the Grange women was a wonderful affair, a mountain of chicken, country ham, and beef loaf making the basis for the spread, and flanked with pies, open face hunting cake, lattice work, and every kind imaginable, while marvelous oakes baked where cream, eggs and butter are plentiful making a temptation for one last bite, even though one were strictly on duty with acute indignation right there. And the dinner was enjoyed by a large number, while the generous providing saw that there was enough that plenty was left over.

L. E. Keller, master of the Grange, presided during the meeting, with W. C. Myers, who years ago organized the present Grange out at the White school house, and who is now Secretary of the organization, and the other members of the body made the scene interesting. The debate in the afternoon was the star feature. It was on "Resolved That Woman's Suffrage is Desirable." Mrs. C. A. Colborn, Mrs. Lucy A. Poole and Mrs. Bertha Miller had the suffrage side of the question, while Township Principal J. Henry Bate, Charles Seligman and Township High School Principal S. E. Fausold were chosen to uphold the negative, a job that they evidently did not put their whole hearts in although they made a good debate. The Judges were G. W. Baker, Ed Workman and Mrs. M. R. Lyons and the decision was in favor of the affirmative, which seemed to be the popular one since it was well cheered.

MISSIONARY MEETING.
The Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the First Methodist Episcopal Church will meet at the home of Mrs. Robert L. Hill, on Wednesday afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock.

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The regular meeting of the Women's Christian Temperance Union will be held at the home of Mrs. John H. Walker, No. 21 Grant street, on Tuesday evening.

BURKHOLDER ILL.
News has reached here that Wesley Burkholder, an aged resident of near Clay Run, Somerset county, is in ill health, being so weak that he cannot walk upon himself. Mr. Burkholder at the father of Mrs. Robert Cove, wife of the Pennsylvania railroad agent at Everson, and James Burkholder, a well known citizen of that place. Mr. Burkholder and Robert Cove, Jr., spent Sunday visiting the sick man.

AN EARLY MEETING.
The evangelistic services at the First Methodist Episcopal church are growing in spirit, and yesterday morning a large number, said to be the largest number of any church, engaged in such early meetings, held a prayer service from 6 to 7 o'clock in the morning. Rev. H. S. Piper, the pastor, conducted a rousing service in the morning that crowded the auditorium and galleries. Another big congregation was present in the evening when District Superintendent, J. B. Ross, was the preacher and delivered one of his greatest sermons. The meetings will continue during the week at 7:45 each evening, except Saturday.

BEATED SNOW.
The groundhog took another grip yesterday, encouraged doubtless by a very cold night, reported to have accomplished some damage by freezing potatoes and apples that were claimed to have escaped that far. Yesterday afternoon was marked by fine snow and this continued throughout a greater part of the night, giving the ground a white blanket that had every indication of spring lingering along a good deal.

WOMEN WITH PILES.

Be Cured By Simply Taking Sugar Coated Tablets.
Constipation, tight clothing, and women's ordinals cause piles. Women suffer piles more than men and all will be grateful to know of a successful remedy in tablet form, that brings a cure without cutting, use of salves or suppositories. This guaranteed remedy is HEM-ROID, sold by A. A. Clarke, Connelville, Pa., and all druggists. \$1 for treatment lasting 21 days.

Dr. Leonard Co., Station B, Buffalo, N. Y., Prop. Write for booklet.

Little Theatre to Open.
NEW YORK, March 4.—The Little Theatre, the playhouse which Winthrop Ames, former director of the New Theatre, has built in West Forty-second street for the presentation of intimate drama, is completed and is expected to give the opening performance some time this week. The first play to be acted is "The Pigeon," a satirical comedy by John Galsworthy.

To Hear Noted Men.
WASHINGTON, D. C., March 4.—The twelfth annual meeting of the National Civic Federation, which is to meet in this city tomorrow for a three days session has selected industrial peace and progress as the general subject for consideration.

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New Ribbons

An exhibition of new ribbons as beautiful and varied as the colors in Joseph's wonderful coat. The weavers play an important part, too, embroidered sorts in dainty colors; stripes, dots, buds, florals and combinations. Colors from pastel to sombre hues. They have their uses for bows, sashes, fancy work, millinery and drapes. 35c and upward to \$1.25 a yard.
(First Floor—Front.)

Veils in Demand

The mountain storms which will come with more frequency and much force—now, make a face covering a real necessity. Made veils, large and small mesh; or dotted and figured, or with ribbon and embroidered borders—\$1 to \$3.50 each. The colors—brown, blue, black and white, are those asked for closest. 18 inch veiling, all colors, bordered, figured or plain—25c and 50c a yard.
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Glove Special

25c saved on every pair you buy from a certain lot—many kinds tumbled in together, because sizes in certain lines became too plentiful. All are regular \$1 value, and beyond looking mused, they are worth full value. Black, grey and tan kid; black and grey suede; tan crepe and chambray; all are short—one and two clasp fastening. Choice 75c a pair.
(First Floor—Front.)

Corrugated Rubber Matting

We understand that an 1/8-inch corrugated rubber can't be procured—in any quantity—in Connelville. If such is the case, many people have taken it for granted that we would have it—as much as they want and at a fair price. We've opened the second roll—live, all rubber; straight line corrugation, \$1.50 running yard, one yard wide. 18x30 extra heavy rubber floor mats \$1.50 each.
(Carpet Room—6th Floor.)

More New Rugs Today

THIS IS MY 38TH BIRTHDAY.

Theodore L. Wood.

Theodore L. Wood, director of the postal savings system of the United States, was born in Norwalk, Conn., March 4, 1874, but has resided in Washington, D. C., nearly all his life. After graduating from George Washington University he entered the government service as a stenographer in 1893, became official stenographer of the United States evacuation commission to Cuba the same year, was made chief in the civil service division of the military government of Cuba in 1900, and served in such until 1902. He became private secretary to Secretary Strauss of the Department of Commerce and Labor in 1903. He was made chief clerk of the department in 1905 and the next year he was appointed chief clerk in the Postoffice Department. This position Mr. Wood held until his appointment two months ago as first director of the postal savings system.

Congratulations to:
Edmond F. Noel, former governor of Mississippi, 56 years old today.
Harold Jacoby, professor of astronomy at Columbia University, 47 years old today.
James J. Britt, third Assistant Postmaster General of the United States, 61 years old today.
Brand Whitlock, author, reformer and recently re-elected mayor of Toledo, O., 49 years old today.
George W. Perkins, representative in Congress of the Fifteenth Illinois district and member of the National Monetary Commission, 68 years old today.

WORK AT BIG POWER DAM TAKES ON NEW IMPETUS

With Return of Chief Engineer
Scheldenhelm Work Will Be
Rapidly Pushed.

With the return of Chief Engineer F. W. Scheldenhelm from a trip through the Canal Zone, work on the big dam to be constructed by the Mountain Park Land Company on the Cheat river has taken new impetus. Active work by the engineer corps located at the Cheat has been held up by the flood stage of the stream. Despite the unfavorable weather, The Mountain Park Land Company is still conducting its rock tests in the hillsides near the proposed site of the big dam. The tests in the river bed for rock formations have not been resumed yet but will be started as soon as the river reaches its normal stage.

REHEARSALS PROGRESS.

Plays First Committing Parts of
"Olivette" to Memory.

The rehearsals of "Olivette," the next production of the Connelville Opera Club, are progressing rapidly under direction of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Stott. Both principals and chorus are fast getting the lines committed to memory.

"Olivette" will be given at the Soisson on April 15 and 16.

Spring Golf at Pinehurst.
PINEHURST, N. C., March 4.—The eighth annual spring golf tournament at the Pinehurst Country Club opened today with an entry list that promises some keen competitions. The play will continue until the end of the week.

An Acre Per Head.
If the land of England and Wales were equally divided there would be a little more than an acre for each person.
Patronize those who advertise.

Sore Throat Don'ts.

When the children have sore throat, don't blister their necks with lamp oil. Don't torture them with a foul smelling piece of fat meat, wrapped about the neck. Don't imagine there is medical virtue in an old sock or piece of red flannel. Don't believe in antiquated superstitions. A sore throat is a serious matter and it ought to be treated by such make-believe remedies. The use of such methods is simply putting the patient to needless torture. Use a little sore throat wisdom and give them TONSILINE and the throat will heal quickly. 25 cents and 50 cents. Hospital Size \$1.00. All Druggists.

Senator Dixon of Montana Who is in Charge Of Campaign to Nominate Colonel Roosevelt



MISUSE OF REFERENDUM IS COSTLY TO COLLEGE

New Oregon Friends of the Law Are
Devoting Ways and Means to
Prevent Frauds.

Special to The Courier.
EUGENE, Ore., Mar. 4.—Alleged abuses of popular rule through the referendum will be pointed out this week when the suit of the University of Oregon against the Secretary of State is argued in the State Supreme Court at Salem. The 1911 session of the legislature appropriated \$500,000 for the University of Oregon, which is located here, but before the law became operative, a referendum petition filed by one H. J. Parkinson was presented to the Secretary of State and accepted, trying to get the appropriation until 1912, when the people would be given an opportunity to vote on the question. Cursory examination of the petitions showed evidences of fraud, so suit was brought by a regent of the university to prevent the Secretary of State putting the referendum question on the ballot. Attack was made on the petition on the ground that large numbers of the names were forged, and that various technicalities of the law had not been complied with.

As the trial progressed, Parkinson was forced to admit that he knew some of the work of his agents was fraudulent, but counsel for the Secretary of State contended that, eliminating the fraudulent names there would yet be enough to make good the calling of the referendum. The State objected that the plaintiff in the case had no right to bring such suit, and that he had not followed the prescribed form. Attorneys for the State university, on the other hand, maintain the right of any legal voter to bring such a suit, and furthermore they make the main contention that fraud in part of the petition invalidates the whole, especially where the fraud is so extensive and is so well known before the filing of the petitions.

The case has aroused much interest in Oregon, which State was the first to adopt the initiative and referendum, and various means of safeguarding the principle are being discussed by friends of the law, for they fear that if frauds are allowed to get by, worse frauds will be perpetrated and the whole system brought into disrepute.

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We Began With Spring Things 'Way Back in January

and then began to buy, customers took up the new fashions soon as we made our first display. It is upon the new trimming touches, the attractive materials and the good tailoring their prettiness and real smartness hinge.

Makers have been sending new shipments thick and fast; and every day more suits are added to those in the glass cases. It will bring joy to any woman to inspect the garments assembled now. We cordially invite you to come—an invitation to look does not mean an obligation to buy.

One of the prettiest suits we have so far hung in its case is the "Chanticleer check." The little black checks on a white ground are diamond shaped; the jacket is cut square on one side and fastens with two buttons. Tuxedo collar faced with washable tan merized fabric red stitched. Red pearl de cygne lining, \$25.

A wide collar suit in navy, diagonally striped shows touches of red in the trimming, overlaid with lace. Corners rounded in a wide sweep, \$27.50.

A whip cord suit, beautiful shade of gray, has long roll collar, cut-a-way front and two buttons; fancy skirt \$32.50.

Practical Spring Coats

Scores of them have slipped quietly in during the past week. They have all the smart, good lines of spring and the most tasteful decoration.

Serges in navy, black, brown and shades of blue; novelities, diagonals, whip cords and vari-colored nub checks in spring weights. There are tans, peculiar blues, greenish tones, greys and burnt orange. The collars are pointed, square, wide and some seem to extend to the waist. They are in long rolls, tuxedo style and are inlaid with moire and other fabrics in harmony or contrast.

**\$10, \$12.50, \$15, \$18.50
\$19.75 to \$25**

Spring-Time Serge Dresses for Women

Their charming and youthful styles are suggestive of spring and are quite certain to delight every woman who views them.

At \$15.00—A pretty blue dress trimmed with black flat braid and smoked pearl buttons. Low neck with removable collar of imitation baby Irish. Another one in a different shade of blue has light blue mixed with the black braid. A different sort of lace trims the neck. Its price is \$16.00.

At \$22.50—A navy serge with venise and half trimming over an inlay of blue at collar, cuffs and peplum.

A cream serge dress, striped with a fine black line has a rever of black satin checkered with white. A dainty belt of black and white and black satin collar. It just came from the wrapping and no price had been put on it as this is being written.

\$1.25 to 2.50 Lingerie Waists—A Saving

Kinds as fashionably "correct" for July as for March. We lessened their prices when we marked them simply to prevent over crowding of stocks by quantities of waists now daily arriving. These are a type that appeals to the woman of exquisite taste, for they are of sheer lawn or batiste, their trimming rather simple in many cases, but always fine and dainty.

Linen Waists

Practical and attractive—small wonder so many women want them for daily wear.

Certain new arrivals are fast simple enough in their tailored style, to be in very good taste and yet have that air of feminine daintiness. Prices begin at \$2.50.

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